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Yamau	dep.	8.05	8.35	9.05	9.35	10.05	10.35	11.05	11.35	12.05	12.35	1.05	1.35	2.05	2.35
KOWLOON	arr.	8.10	8.40	9.10	9.40	10.10	10.40	11.10	11.40	12.10	12.40	1.10	1.40	2.10	2.40

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INNINGS DEFEAT.

The two days' match between the Hongkong Cricket Club and the United Services ended in an easy win for the Army and Navy. The Hongkong Cricket Club were too weak in their batting to have any chance of success and the United Services had the easiest of tasks, and won by an innings and 38 runs. There was some plucky hitting by Pearce, Hamilton and de Rome, but apart from this the bowling was too strong for the remainder of the Home side. On the other side it must be remarked that the United Services missed one or two easy catches. Hamilton and Pearce were both missed in the "slips," and de Rome at square-leg.

At the close of the first day's play the H.K.C.C. were batting, their score being 87 for five wickets. Hamilton's and Benson's partnership was soon dissolved. Col. Wyndham smartly fielded a ball to the United Services wicket keeper, who whipped off the balls and Benson was run out, having made 13. The score stood at 98 for 6. Major Wallace and Lieut. MacDonald, were bowling well, and Wallace got Reed out with a very swift ball, the umpire giving l.b.w. Hamilton's batting was sound and he scored two boundaries off Wallace. Lieut. Com. Jotham missed an easy catch in the slips. He caught the ball, but dropped it. Capt. Davies relieved Major Wallace at the Dockyard end and found Hamilton's off stump with a ball that pitched short and barely touched the wicket. Watson did a lot of "sky" work and was caught at mid-off, and L. J. Davies soon joined the return procession, Capt. Davies taking 2 wickets for no runs.

H.K.C.C. 2ND INNINGS.

To save an innings defeat the home club has to make 180 runs in their second innings. Their only hope was to master the batting early, but with the exception of Pearce and de Rome nothing brilliant was performed. Hamilton, who had given a good display in the first innings had a brief stay in which he made 4 runs. In less than five minutes he gave an equal number of chances before being caught in the slips. De Rome and Pearce did good work, getting the ball away to the boundary in fine style. De Rome gave two likely catches to square-leg before going out for 20. Pearce's batting was a splendid performance and in one over from Major Wallace scored three consecutive boundaries. Farthing showed signs of good batting. His strokes were well timed and a boundary of his, off Wallace, past square-leg was a beautiful stroke. He was clever and was not to be trifled with. The bowling was tiring. Crole-Rees took over at the Dockyard end and MacDonald at the other. Crole-Rees was the fastest bowler of the match and in his first over, a maiden, he found Farthing off stump, and Pearce was out shortly afterwards to the same bowler his middle stump being taken. In his innings of 45 he made seven boundaries and one three. Chambers caught Lammer—a brilliant effort—at mid-off, despite the fact that there was a glaring sun in his eyes. For the rest, it was purely tail-end cricket and the batting side was soon out. Chambers, bowling from the pavilion end, got two wickets with the fourth and fifth ball of his second over.

The scores for the match are as follows:—

UNITED SERVICES.				
1st Innings.				
Olliver, c. Davies, b. Reed	54			
Jotham, c. Davies, b. Reed	8			
Edwards, b. Reed	21			
Wyndham, c. Bird, b. Farthing	32			
Davies, c. Lammer, b. Webster	35			
Greig, b. Webster	27			
Franks, b. Pearce, b. Webster	6			
MacDonald, b. Webster	7			
Wallace, b. Webster	7			
Crole-Rees, c. Davies, b. Bird	8			
E. B. A. Chambers, not out	9			
Extras	4			
Total	268			

Bowling Analysis.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bird	2.2	1	20	1
Reed	2.2	2	34	5
Farthing	1.8	3	55	1
Hamilton	6	0	36	0
Hammond	3	0	15	0
Webster	10	1	34	5
Fall of wickets: 1-16; 2-54; 3-120; 4-122; 5-175; 6-191; 7-220; 8-250; 9-258; 10-268.				

HONGKONG C.C.				
1st Innings.				
F. J. de Rome, c. Jotham, b. Wallace	5			
T. E. Pearce, c. Wyndham, b. MacDonald	25			
B. E. A. Webster, b. Wallace	1			
F. H. Farthing, c. Olliver, b. Wallace	6			
E. G. Lammer, l.b.w., b. Edwards	16			
E. B. Reed, l.b.w., b. Wallace	0			
H. Benson, run out	15			
M. M. Watson, b. Chambers	4			
Davies	4			
E. W. Hamilton, b. Davies	31			
L. J. Davies, b. Davies	0			
R. E. O. Bird, not out	3			
Extras	13			
Total	118			

Bowling Analysis.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Davies	6	1	15	3
MacDonald	13	2	33	1
Wallace	12	4	22	4
Edwards	2	4	13	1
Crole-Rees	3	0	13	1
Greig	1	0	7	0
Fall of wickets: 1-25; 2-33; 3-35; 4-43; 5-65; 6-90; 7-97; 8-110; 9-118; 10-118.				
2nd Innings.				
E. W. Hamilton, b. Edwards	4			
F. J. de Rome, l.b.w., b. Wallace	20			
T. E. Pearce, c. Crole-Rees	45			
B. E. A. Webster, c. Franks, b. MacDonald	0			
F. H. Farthing, c. Crole-Rees	7			
E. G. Lammer, c. Chambers, b. Greig	9			
H. Benson, run out	4			
L. J. Davies, c. Crole-Rees, b. Greig	1			

E. B. Reed, b. Chambers	8
M. M. Watson, b. Chambers	0
R. E. O. Bird, not out	8
Extras	8
Total	119

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Davies	7	1	15	0
Edwards	7	0	17	1
Wallace	4	0	22	1
MacDonald	5	0	16	1
Crole-Rees	5	1	16	2
Greig	3	1	6	2
Chambers	1.5	0	9	2
Fall of wickets: 1-14; 2-41; 3-60; 4-71; 5-88; 6-89; 7-90; 8-93; 9-111; 10-112.				

The United Services meet the R.A.M.C. on Wednesday. On which the ground the match will be to be played has not been decided yet.

LEAGUE MATCHES.

SECOND LEAGUE MATCHES.

KOWLOON v. THE P.R.C.

The League match played at King's Park, Kowloon, on Saturday, between the Kowloon Cricket Club (2nd XI) and the Police Recreation Club (2nd XI) resulted in a win for the home team. At one time it looked as if the visitors were going to win. They captured 8 wickets for 48, but the seventh did not go down until the score reached 121. Scores:—

P.R.C.				
A. Alexander, b. Brown	7			
B. Earnshaw, c. Goodall, b. Brown	14			
G. Grimmett, b. Brown	4			
G. Carpenter, b. Overy	0			
T. H. King, b. Spinks	20			
W. Kelly, c. Lawrence, b. Brown	12			
F. Booker, l.b.w., b. Spinks	9			
C. Earnshaw, b. Spinks	11			
A. Baker, b. Spinks	6			
N. S. Condon, b. Spinks	0			
V. C. Hallam, not out	3			
Extras	7			
Total	83			

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Overy	8	1	38	1
Brown	13	1	29	4
Spinks	5.5	0	19	5
Fall of wickets: 1-24; 2-25; 3-28; 4-32; 5-53; 6-59; 7-84; 8-84; 9-87; 10-93.				

KOWLOON C.C.				
D. M. Goodall, c. Earnshaw, b. Grimmett	4			
L. E. S. Hodge, b. Kelly	10			
A. O. Brown, b. Kelly	5			
E. J. Edwards, c. Earnshaw, b. Kelly	0			
H. Overy, c. Baker, b. Kelly	43			
E. W. Alderson, b. R. Earnshaw	8			
F. Evelyn, c. Carpenter, b. Kelly	38			
E. F. Spinks, b. Kelly	0			
L. S. Bates, not out	4			
W. S. Drake, c. Earnshaw, b. Kelly	2			
Extras	21			
Total	127			

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Kelly	13.3	1	55	7
Grimmett	1	1	4	1
R. Earnshaw	4	0	21	2
King	2	0	8	0
Alexander	4	1	17	0
Baker	2	0	11	0
Fall of wickets: 1-10; 2-17; 3-23; 4-28; 5-29; 6-48; 7-121; 8-121; 9-123; 10-127.				

The Indian Recreation Cricket Club had an easy win on Saturday afternoon, when they played the Civil Service Cricket Club at Happy Valley. It was a 2nd XI match. The home-side were dismissed cheaply, their total score being 30. Against this the I.R.C. knocked out 133 runs. Their batting was sound and they showed remarkably good work in the field. The bowling and fielding of the winning team was smart.

1st XI. FRIENDLY MATCH.

A friendly match was played on Saturday between the Civil Service C.C. (1st XI) and the Indian Rec. C.C. (1st XI) on the Indians' ground. The game resulted in a draw. The I.R.C.C. made 163 runs all out and the C.S.C.C. 120 runs for 9 wickets.

I.R.C. v. C.S.C.C.

Played on the C.R.C. ground on November 11th and resulted in an easy win for the Indians. Scores:—

I.R.C.				
A. A. Rumjahn, b. H. C. Hunt	95			
S. H. Ismail, b. Lee	58			
A. H. Rumjahn, b. Ng Sz Kwong	5			
S. A. R. Ismail, c. Hall, b. Ng Sz Kwong	47			
A. el Arculli, c. Lee, b. Hunt	13			
J. S. Curreen, b. Ng Sz Kwong	13			
S. A. Ismail, b. Hunt	16			
S. D. Ismail, c. Wong, b. Hunt	6			
N. B. Kitchell, c. Lee, b. Hunt	6			
O. Ismail, not out	17			
O. Rumjahn, l.b.w., b. Hunt	1			
Extras	21			
Total	284			

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
G. Lee	20	3	92	1
Ng Sz Kwong	24	1	94	3
H. C. Hunt	19	5	60	6
Chao Man Ping	6	0	27	0

C.S.C.C.				
Lo Man Pun, b. Curreen	0			
Chao Man Ping, c. Kitchell, b. Curreen	8			
Ng Sz Kwong, c. A. H. Rumjahn, b. Arculli	10			
James Wong, b. Curreen	6			
Geo. Lee, c. Kitchell, b. Arculli	2			
Wei Wing Lok, b. Arculli	4			
Geo. Hall, b. Curreen	14			
H. C. Hunt, b. Curreen	12			
A. J. Kew, not out	4			
W. Hunt, b. Curreen	4			
O. F. Lee, c. S. A. R. Ismail, b. Curreen	0			
Extras	11			
Total	75			

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
A. el Arculli	12.3	2	41	2
J. S. Curreen	12.3	2	43	7

FOOTBALL.

Saturday's matches resulted as follows:

HONGKONG LEAGUE.

DIVISION I.

Wiltshires	3	H.M.S. Tamar	1
H.M.S. Curlew	1	Kowloon	0
H.M.S. Cairo	1	H.K. Police	0
S.C.A.	2	H.M.S. Ambrose	1

DIVISION II.

Curlew Reserves	5	Kowloon Res.	0
Wiltshires	6	Punjabis	0
R.G.A. Reserves	2	St. Josephs	0
S.C.A. "A"	2	United	0

The R.G.A.—Tianjin match was postponed while the Club Reserves turned out only four men.

RUGBY.

H.K. Club 8 pts. H.M.S. Cairo 6 pts.

WILTSHIRES v. "TAMAR."

The play was fast throughout and the sailors were unlucky to lose by two goals. Hudson who received a kick early in the game was limping very badly towards the close and his side was greatly handicapped thereby. For the sailors Smith played well at times but was not consistent. The forward line showed good combination and should improve.

Turner replaced Smith in the soldiers' goal and gave a very good exhibition. Ford strengthened the attack and although a little on the slow side is not easy to get off the ball.

The teams were:—
Wiltshires—Turner, Trivett and Moore; Sawyer, Lancaster and Penfold; Warren, Ford, Menham, Evans and Amor.

Tamar—Mitch; Smith and Tomlinson; Bryant, Hudson and Grant; Hill, Routley, Hutton, Atkey and Abbott.
Mr. Bolton was the referee.

"CAIRO" v. POLICE.

This game ended in a draw of one goal all. The sailors opened well but greedy play on behalf of the forwards robbed them of early success. Play was fast and the sailors paid occasional visits to the goal but the sailors had most of the play. Watson had a good chance of putting the Police ahead but he waited too long before shooting and Eve with good judgment reached forward and cleared. Matthews for the sailors was doing clever work but he forgot that there were other men on his side and failed to pass when tackled and was charged off the ball. There was no score in the first half of the game.

Resuming, the sailors again got down but the defence cleared. The sailors kept up the pressure and after Swan had cleared from all directions Matthews sent in a stinging shot from close range that Swan never saw, thereby putting the sailors one up. This downfall was expected to spell disaster for the Police but their forwards got away and Robertson gave Eve a hot one to deal with and the goalkeeper, only partly clearing, Matthews rushed up and sent the ball into the net. The sailors struggled hard for the winning goal but could not pierce the Police defence and the game ended with the score one goal each.

The sailors were without Stevenson and Keate. Matthews filled the centre forward position while McCurg and Wild completed the middle line. But came out in place of Watts for the Police while Hillyer played on the left wing.

Eve played another good game in goal and the shot that beat him was from two yards with all the Police forwards around him. Burke cleared well but Thompson was not so sound. The sailors' middle line were not brilliant but they played a hard game. Matthews was the pick of the forward line, but he expects to do too much.

THE CHARITY BAZAAR AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE. WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN A LEAGUE OF GOOD WORKS. A BIG SOCIAL FUNCTION.

Lady Stubbs supplied the clue to the "true inwardness" of the big affair at Government House grounds on Saturday. Her Ladyship kindly came to the aid of our representative, who had just arrived and was wondering where to begin, and whether he was not entirely out of place among so many frills and flummies, knick-knacks and what-nots, and articles obviously having no concern for mere main. Lady Stubbs led him out of the hazy mists into the spacious coolness of Government House where she began to "explain things."

The important part is not the actual work on the day," Lady Stubbs said. "It is what has been going on in the background for quite a long time each year that really matters. People are brought into touch with one another, all sorts of angularities are rubbed off, and race and class prejudices are lessened."

The Ministering Children's League, it seems, was extended to Hongkong at the instance of the Countess of Meath—who took a great interest in the movement. This was a good many years ago, when the Countess visited Hongkong with the Earl of Meath. Lady Lugard and Lady May warmly supported the scheme whose object was to get young folks here to do something for children at home by working for hospital, orphan homes and the like. Lady Stubbs remarked that children here have so much done for them that she felt it was very necessary to the formation of their characters that they should be put in the way of doing something for somebody else. She was glad, therefore, that the children had a definite part in the fête and were giving an entertainment.

HOW THE GROWN-UPS HELP.

Of course, children cannot organise affairs like this and it was a good idea, adopted since Lady Stubbs has been in the Colony, to incorporate the Hongkong Women's League and so let the grown-ups, who were already doing a great deal, have an acknowledged part in the organisation. The outcome is that, although the children may not be so very much in evidence on the day of the Bazaar itself, they are working throughout the year doing needlework, selling tickets and so on. The teaching staffs of the schools concerned exercise much care and forethought in directing these efforts, choosing materials and deciding what are the most saleable articles to make.

Side by side with this, the grown-ups do their part. In places like the Helena May Institute, Church halls, and private drawing rooms, sewing parties meet, cards are swept off the bridge tables and needles and cotton take their place. Schemes more ambitious than the children can attempt are brought successfully to completion. Lady Kirkpatrick marshals the military contingent, Mrs. Bowden Smith navigates the naval argosies safely into port, Mrs. Lafrentz commands the forces on the Peak and Mrs. Middleton Smith brings into action most of the Island of Victoria "situate and being" lower than the Peak. This contingent seems to centralise its forces at the University. In a sort of Faculty of Fancy Work, it is to be hoped that it is liberally endowed. Rowloon also does its part under Mrs. Nightingale's leadership. Scotch woolwork figures largely in Quarry Bay's contribution. Here Mrs. Reid directs, Mrs. King is superintendent of police needlework, Miss Middleton Smith, Miss Clark and Miss Woo each command a school contingent.

The product of all this labour was before us in the grounds of Government House, which on this day of the year are lent by Sir Edward and Lady Stubbs to the Women's Guild and Ministering Children's League. The stalls were arranged at the back of the house, overlooking the harbour; here, also, were various "side-shows"—of which more anon—and from a terrace overlooking the scene the Band of the 60th Regt., without which no social function in Hongkong would be complete, discoursed sweet music under Mr. J. W. Eton's conductorship. The fine lawn at the front of the house was dotted with tea tables and before very long was the scene of great activity.

NAVAL AND DOCKYARD STALL.

In describing the stalls we feel bound to give pride of place to the Naval and Dockyard stall. Of the holding of bazaars there has been no end for many years and it is difficult to strike a note of originality. But Mrs. Bowden Smith and her helpers have succeeded. The essential feature, a long bench to put things on, was there as elsewhere, but it was enclosed in a canvas model of the *Mayflower* with high stern and prow and ladies dressed as Puritan maidens served shop wenchships over the side of the vessel. The ship was realistically painted and at nightfall was illuminated with lamps. The design attracted a great deal of attention and was universally admired. Mrs. Bowden Smith was assisted by Mrs. King-Salter, Mrs. Campbell Samson, Mrs. Ashton, Mrs. Greig, Mrs. Owen, Mrs. Hamilton-Berners, Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. Stern, Mrs. Church, Mrs. Syrett, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Bickford, Mrs. and Miss Lamerton, Mrs. Prickett, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. Rudd, Mrs. Crocker, and Mrs. Brookshaw.

VICTORIA STALL.

This is the age of specialism and "Victoria," realising that, had concentrated on things for the little ones. Generous friends had put up for them a solid wooden apartment, with a window overlooking the harbour, and this had been furnished as a nursery with miniature furniture, all for sale. There was a Jacobean suite, a white enameled wicker upholstered suite, a handsome baby's cot with furnishings and many

smaller articles. Round the walls was a frieze of nursery rhyme pictures, drawn and hand-painted, we believe by Mrs. Newcomb. Not to "lumber" this apartment, which had such a charming effect, little boys' and girls' dresses were sold from a stall near by. These were bought with alacrity; they were all cut according to the latest patterns and really, as a lady remarked, "one might imagine oneself in Oxford Street." We obtained from Mrs. Middleton Smith a long list of firms to whom the promoters were indebted for gifts for this stall; it comprised most of the business houses in the central district. The helpers here were Lady Brunsford, Mrs. Koch, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Black and Mrs. Hilton. Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Bevan, though not taking a prominent part "on the day," had done a great deal towards the success of the stall.

THE MILITARY STALL.

At the military stall novelty was sought by a one-colour scheme. This stall stood beneath a spreading chestnut tree, or tree of some species, and a very handsome collection of fancy articles and furnishings, all in a striking shade of greyish blue, gave point to the name of "The Blue Stall." We have no space for an adequate appreciation of the charming paintings of Chinese types by Miss M. Kirkpatrick and the very fine pen and ink work by Mrs. Humphreys, but as we saw none that were not marked "sold," words are scarcely necessary; "money talks" as they say in America. Lady Kirkpatrick had three "reliefs" at this stall—Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Shewell, Miss Maughan, Mrs. White, Mrs. Westlake, Mrs. Timmis, Mrs. Cartwright, II., Mrs. Deacombe, Miss Tunley, Mrs. Donovan, Mrs. Lloyd, Mrs. Collison, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Cheesely, III., Mrs. Humphreys, Mrs. Humphreys, Mrs. Turtle, Mrs. Jasey and Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Wyndham and Captain Cartwright were in charge of the receipts and Major Wakefield drew the winning numbers of the raffles.

THE PEAK STALL.

A great many very choice articles were on sale at the Peak Stall where Mrs. Lafrentz was in charge, assisted by Mrs. Forsyth, Mrs. Ram, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Grayburn, Mrs. Dyer Bell, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. R. J. Hall and Miss H. Irving. Miss Joan Mitchell and Lieut. Hammond, R.N., had charge of the money.

QUARRY BAY STALL.

Some handsome prizes which were raffled—notably a large dolls' house—were on view at Quarry Bay stall where Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Drummond, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Swann and Mrs. Davidson had charge. The discerning came here for Scotch woolwork which was a speciality at this stall.

THE POLICE STALL.

A bran pie was a feature of this stall for a short time at any rate—but it was so successful that by three o'clock the "pie" was consumed. At this stall were the nightdress and other articles that the police force and every one who frequents the Magistracy have been competing for. Mrs. T. H. King was in charge, assisted by Mrs. Burlingham, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Angus, Mrs. Garrard and Mrs. Boulger. Mrs. Gerrard and Miss Angus served the bran pie while it lasted and then transferred their energies elsewhere.

ROWLOON STALL.

The Rowloon contingent crossed the harbour with a valuable freight and, though a little under the shadow of the military, they did good business. Next Saturday, by the way, Rowloon has its own demonstration on behalf of the M.C.C. and other objects at Chater Bungalow. The stall was in charge of Mrs. Nightingale, Mrs. Woolley, Mrs. Joseph, Mrs. Shaftain and Mrs. and Miss Davidson.

THE SCHOOLS' STALLS.

We shall really have to condense, with so much still to tell. Miss Clark and the staff and girls of Belifios had some very beautiful work to show; it was evident that the rising generation of Chinese, by whom much of the work was done, have not lost their native skill with the needle while absorbing Western education. St. Stephen's had a large stall and a large staff of students and teachers directed by Miss Middleton Smith, Miss Hazeland, Mrs. Cavalier and Miss Atkins. A Christmas tree was a great attraction at this stall. Miss Woo, who with the help of Miss Kowall, directed the St. Paul's Girls' School stall, had great success with a dollar star in the principle of "try your luck." In return for the dollar one might get an article worth anything from 25 cents to \$25. The large number of pupils who helped were costumes made for the last prize-giving.

THE GREAT GOLD FISHERY.

Under the aegis of the military contingent was the gold fish pond and the little creatures were worth their weight in gold to the fund. One did not fish for them with rod and line but threw a ping-pong ball into the glass globe. If successful one became possessor of the fish. One persistent but unlucky pitcher paid \$7 for throws before he got his fish. We have no space to quote from an amusing pamphlet on gold fish that was on sale, at a good profit, we believe. Lieut. Colonel Nicholson had charge of the fishery; with him were the Misses Kirkpatrick, the Misses Bowen, Miss Deacombe, Major Hickling, Major Bagnall and Major Young.

OTHER ENTERTAINMENTS.

There was a Punch and Judy show run by three desperate-looking characters, whose "make-up" was most professional. On a close inspection they appeared to be the Hon. Mr. H. V. Bird, Mr. R. Sutherland and Mr. Sayer. Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Roffey were giving for the notice and told fortunes in a tent. Members of the Navy were in charge of a lucky well and a chute which were great attractions to the young people. Mrs. Kirkpatrick performed a very necessary office; she had a parcels stall and took charge of purchases until the end of the day.

THE TEA STALL.

By this time, as the sympathetic reader will easily imagine, we were ready for tea, which brings us, naturally, to the subject of the tea stall. Mrs. Richard Hancock was in principal charge—helped by Mrs. Harston and Miss Wallace—and we received not only tea but all the particulars we wanted plainly typewritten. The scene was a delightful and animated one and the large staff of workers coped with a tremendous rush of business with the utmost sang froid. The tea-making was conducted by Miss Wallace and Miss Sloan, assisted by Miss Digby, Mrs. Carpenter, Miss Davies, Miss Wilson, Mrs. Goldsmith, Mrs. McMurray, Miss Gilling, Mrs. Brotherton-Harker and Mrs. Beaupreire. The cake stands were in charge of Mrs. Denison, assisted by Miss Shenton, Miss Hawker and of Mrs. Grimble, assisted by Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Airey and Mrs. Nisbet.

The ice-cream stand was conducted by Mrs. Taggart, assisted by Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Geare and Mrs. Robinson. Mrs. Harrington sold beautiful roses kindly given by Mr. R. A. Nicholson. Major Cassel and Mrs. T. E. Pearce also kindly sent flowers.

Tea was served under the supervision of Mrs. Harston and Mrs. Richard Hancock, in two shifts, the following ladies acting as waitresses:—
First Shift.—Mrs. Archer, Miss Coppinger, Mrs. G. N. Humphreys, Mrs. Vining, Mrs. Marshall, Wood, Miss Gittins, Miss Newsholme, Mrs. Quaries van Ufford, Miss Quaries van Ufford, Miss D. Ellis, Miss P. Ellis, Miss Huxley, Miss Stobart, Miss Stubbs, Mrs. Stopford, Lady Stuart Taylor, Mrs. Tinson, Miss Edkins, Mrs. T. Sutherland, Miss Macdonald, Miss Betty Ram, Mrs. Sayer, Miss Pothergill, Mrs. H. Griffin, Mrs. Holt, Miss Hodgson, Mrs. C. H. P. Hay, Mrs. Alfred Humphreys and Miss Woo Ten.

Second Shift.—Mrs. Pfordten, Mrs. Bayan, Miss Barnes, Miss B. Blair, Mrs. Bevington, Miss Carroll, Miss Denison, Miss Lloyd, Mrs. de Rome, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Greig, Miss Hastings, Mrs. Haslam, Miss Hazeland, Miss L. Hazeland, Miss Harston, Miss Irving, Miss Pugh, Mrs. Leask, Miss K. Phillips, Miss Robertson, Miss Drury, Madame Roden-fuser, Miss Matheson, Miss Morris, Mrs. Dalgety, Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. McArthur and Mrs. R. B. Young.

Miss Inness, assisted by Mrs. Marsh, acted as cashier at the gate.
Mrs. Hancock also acknowledges help from Colonel Nicholson, the Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang, the Army Service and Ordnance Corps, Mr. Taggart, Miss Clarke, Mr. Goodall, Mr. W. H. Bell, Mr. Rat-tajce, Messrs. Powell, Mr. Denkin, Mr. P.W.D. and hosts of people unspecified who lent boys and coolies and sent such generous supplies of domesticables or donations.

THE CHILDREN'S CONCERT.

The next great event was the children's concert which took place in the ball-room and had to be given twice in order to accommodate all who wished to see it. Mrs. F. C. Hall had arranged this, and written a little playlet for the children to perform. She was helped in training the children by Mrs. Grayburn and Miss Rose Edkins and Miss Betty Ram. The pretty "dance of the magpies" was the first item, and the costumes for this showed great originality. Those taking part were: The old cottage woman: Margaret Cameron, The Magpies: Fairlie Nicholson, Alison Nicholson, Honor Hancock, Rosamond Hancock, Jean Bird, Peggy Hornell and Theodora Cameron.

For "A Toy Shop Frolic" much skill had been devoted to the staging and costumes. The toys were all waxed by the fairies and had a frolic before the clock struck midnight when they went to sleep again. It was really a very pretty fancy and the children evidently entered into it heart and soul. Those who took part were:—
Girl Dolls:—Honor Hancock, Rosamond Hancock, Sheila Lang, Peggy Hornell, Joan Hornell, Theodora Cameron, Ruth McElderry and Jean Bird.
Fairies:—Rosamond Hancock, Pamela Dodwell and Betty Oliver.
French Waiters:—Cyril Bell and John Bell.

Dutch Dolls:—Michael Young and Anne Beddingfield.
Soldiers:—Jack Breakspear, Sandy Nott, Bruce Sutherland, Dick Shiner and Philip Stubbs.
Babes:—Nancy Hornell, Heather Kent, Judy Smith, Mary Smith and Daphne Oliver.
Goliwog:—Lewis MacDougall.

After the second performance Mr. E. R. Hallifax expressed the thanks of the League to Mrs. Hall and her helpers for the entertainment.

CONCLUSION.

Meanwhile, outside Major Wakefield, Capt. Benning, the Rev. G. T. Waldegrave and other gentlemen with "parade ground" voices were holding auctions to dispose of any goods remaining on the stalls. Mr. Dyer Ball, whose part in the proceedings was to collect the takings at frequent intervals, made his last round, and with the descent of darkness the bazaar came to an end. There are still a few matters that should be mentioned. N.C.O.'s look duty at the entrance gate and skillfully regulated the crowds in the grounds; boy scouts and girl guides helped in this. And we ought to say that a dog from the Dogs' Home was raffled and brought \$20 to the fund—or ten times his normal price. Praise is due to Mrs. Bird, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Acworth and Miss M. Kirkpatrick for the artistic posters they prepared for exhibition at strategic points.

What is the total financial result of the Bazaar will be known in a day or two. Mr. Dyer Ball tells us he collected over \$5,000 in the first hour and a half so prospects are evidently good and there is every hope of beating last year's result which was \$10,000. If funds permit, it is intended to send a contribution to a Children's Hospital in London, in addition to the institutions whose names have already been published.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE (LOCAL) BRITISH LEGION.
[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—May we assume that "Ypres" is an honourable man? and that before troubling the four Hongkong papers with his episode (and enclosing his card) he laid his complaint, as an honourable man would do, before the Committee of the Legion and also ascertained the true state of affairs which made so many of us "Stonecutters Sentries"? One is inclined to be with him in his desire for a friendly association of those he mentions, but in a place like Hongkong it cannot be done without dinners and dances, and we have these in abundance. Would it not be more practical if "Ypres" and his co-thinkers got together and studied to see how such an organisation, doomed on present lines to early extinction, could seek to continue the work of the Great War, which glib-tongued politicians told us was a war to end war and to rid us of the bugbear of the spirit of Prussianism—not merely in others but in ourselves?

We have been warned we are not out of the wood, that civilization is on the brink and may topple over.

We have heard this before and with so frequent reiteration that we have become sceptical about it. Yet it is true. "Friendly Association," which begins and ends in nothing but boisterous dinners and cabaret dances, is a mere device for killing time—and spending money.

"What did you think we should find?" said a shade "When the last shot echoed and Peewee was made?" "Christ," laughed the fleshless Jaws of his friend; "I thought they'd be praying for worlds in mend."

"Shadows of dead men stand by the wall. Watching the fun Of the Victory Ball. They do not reproach. Because they know, If they're forgotten, It's better so. Yours, etc."

NON LEGIONAIRE.
Hongkong, November 12th, 1921.
GOLF.

SHANGHAI CHAMPIONSHIP.

The qualifying round of the Shanghai Golf Club championship played at Kiangwan on Saturday, the 6th inst., resulted exceptionally in certain respects, for three or four of the leading golfers of the port failed to qualify, being beaten in score by longer handicap men.

The following eight qualified with scores as below:—
J. B. Ferrier 78 67 163
C. T. Beath 83 84 167
J. Dewar 85 88 171
W. J. Hawkins 88 88 172
K. J. Cumming 90 87 177
J. W. Porter 95 83 178
C. W. Porter 95 84 179
R. J. Bowdman 90 90 179

The draw for the match play rounds is as follows:—
C. T. Beath v. J. Dewar.
R. J. Bowdman v. C. W. Porter.
J. W. Porter v. K. J. Cumming.
W. J. Hawkins v. J. B. Ferrier.

RESULT OF 3RD ROUND AND SEMI-FINAL IN CHAMPIONSHIP.

The third and semi-final rounds in the championship of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club were played off at Fanling yesterday. The results were:—

THIRD ROUND.
Crapnell beat N. L. Smith, 3 up and 2.
Buckland beat Ireland, 4 up and 3.
A. B. Stewart beat de Rome, 6 up and 5.
R. M. Smith beat A. B. Purves, 2 up and 1.

SEMI-FINAL.
Buckland beat Crapnell, 5 up and 4.
R. M. Smith beat Stewart 5 up and 4.

The final will be played off next Sunday, November 20th.

K.C.C. v. U.S.R.C.

A match was played between teams representing these two clubs yesterday on the King's Park links with the following result:—

	Single	Four
K.C.C.	1	1
U.S.R.C.	1	1

U.S.R.C. K.C.C.
R. E. Lindell v. J. Stalker 1
J. W. Franks v. A. Leach 1
J. Hooper v. J. Jack 1
Capt. Clover v. H. Overy 1
Capt. Murray v. J. Hyde 1
Dr. Lyon Brown v. W. McKay 1
Major Lloyd v. P. Heatheote 1
D. W. Salter v. S. Gray 1
T. F. Caxton v. K. R. Macaskill 1
Dr. Smalley v. W. Y. Elson 1
Capt. Cordon v. C. W. M. Reynolds 1
Capt. Meredith v. G. W. Avenall 1
Lt. Taylor v. A. O. Bro n 1
Capt. Carter v. H. E. Stoneham 1
W. S. Brown v. H. E. Stevens 1
* B. C. H. Jan. v. J. McMurtrie 1

* Played in fours only.
Result: K.C.C. 13, U.S.R.C. 10.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF MEETING.

IN pursuance of Section 187 (2) of the Companies Ordinance 1911-1915, Notice is hereby given that a MEETING of CREDITORS in the above matter will be held at 7, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the Twelfth day of December, 1921, at twelve o'clock noon, at which the Liquidator will lay before the meeting an account of his acts and dealings and of the conduct of the winding-up during the preceding year.

M. FERNANDEZ,
Liquidator.

Hongkong, 12th November, 1921. [1743]

BAZAAR AND FETE

in aid of the
MINISTERING CHILDREN'S LEAGUE
AND KOWLOON BRITISH SCHOOL
"GAMES FUND"

will be held in the grounds at
CHATEL BUNGALOWS KOWLOON
on SATURDAY, 19th November
commencing at 4.30 p.m.

Under the patronage of LADY STUBBS.
Work Stall, Sweet Stall, Brau Tab, Shooting
the Obuse, Aunt Sallies, Coconut Shies, Boxing,
Rifle Range, Trying the Strength, Fortune
Teller, Refreshments, Entertainments, etc. etc.
A play entitled "The FAIRY CHAIN" will be
performed by the pupils of the School.
Entrance: Adults 25 Cents.
Children 20 Cents. [1744]

CHURCH OF ENGLAND MEN'S SOCIETY.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL BRANCH.
PROGRAMME OF
CONCERT

to be held in the CATHEDRAL HALL on
TUESDAY, November 16th at 9.15 p.m.

1. Part Song— "Sweet & Low" Barnby
Messrs. MURPHY, MIDDLETON, HATWOOD
& BENT.
2. Piano-forte (a) "Meditation" Tchaikovsky
(b) "Felanise" in A Major Chopin
MR. HARRY ORE.
(Well-known Pianist and Composer.)
3. Song (a) "Oh! That we were
"maying" "Nervis"
(b) "La Premiere" Webber,
Miss TINSON.
4. Monologue "Oh Memory" "Bransby"
Williams
5. Violin (a) "Ritournele" Barracane
(b) "Tempo di Minuetto" Paganini
and Kreisler
6. Song Selected
Mr. W. R. CROW
7. Recitation Selected
Hon. Mr. H. E. POLLOCK.
8. Song (a) "Chanson de l'Adieu" Tosti
(b) "Canto d'Aprile" E. Betti
MR. DANIEL ONDERWIZER.
- (Baritone of the Royal Opera in Amsterdam)
9. Humorous Song Selected
Mr. V. LARSEN
10. Song Selected
Mr. T. G. PATTERSON
11. Imitations Selected
Mr. J. S. PEARSON
12. Part Song— "Oh, who will o'er the downs
"so free" "Pearall"
Messrs. MURPHY, MIDDLETON, HATWOOD
and BENT. [1745]

THE INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTION FOR THE BLIND (KOWLOON)

A SALE OF WORK

IN
THE HELENA MAY INSTITUTE
ON
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH, 1921.
From 10 A.M. to 4.30 P.M.

THE Articles for Sale are all Hand Knitted,
and of a useful kind, consisting of Ladies'
Wool Sports Coats, and Jumpers in various
colours and designs; Men's Tennis Coats, Socks
and Waist Coats; Babies' Bonnets "Bootees",
Socks, Underwear, Gaiters, Coats, etc., etc.
Sale will be opened at 10 A.M.

LADY STUBBS

Chairman—Rev. THE BISHOP OF VICTORIA. [1735]

G. R.

SALE OF OLD ARMY CLOTHING.

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of
all old Army Clothing for the period
ending 31st March, 1922.

Forms of tender will be issued on application
to the Chief Ordnance Officer, R.A.O.C. Depot,
Samples of Clothing to be sold will be on view
at the R.A.O.C. Depot, Queen's Road East, and
tenders must reach the Ordnance Office at the
above address not later than 12 noon on 15th
November, 1921. [1669]

INTIMATIONS

LOST OR STOLEN.

THE Public are hereby warned not to buy
or negotiate DEPOSIT RECEIPT, No.
177 issued on 26th October, 1921, by the Canton
Branch of the DEUTSCHE ASIATISCHE BANK,
Berlin, for Marks 50,000. The Deposit Receipt
has either been LOST or STOLEN. [1715]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Underigned will sell by Public Auc-
tion on MONDAY, TUESDAY and
WEDNESDAY, 14th, 15th and 16th, Novem-
ber, 1921, commencing each day at 11 A.M.
(with a fifteen minute interval from 12.30 to 2.30 P.M.)
at Alexandra Buildings, Des Voeux Road, Cen-
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Terms: Cash on delivery.
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Auctioneers. [1739]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer
"SOMALI"
Arrived Hongkong on Nov. 10th, 1921.
FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID
ADEN, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named
vessel are hereby informed that their goods
are being landed and placed at their risk in
the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and
Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon
where each consignment will be sorted out
Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained
as the goods are landed.
Optional goods will be landed here unless
instructions have been given to the contrary
8 hours before arrival of the steamer.
Goods not cleared within 8 days, including
date of arrival, will be subject to rent.
No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in
any case whatever.

Damaged packages must be left in the
Godowns for examination by the Consignees,
and the Company's surveyors Messrs. GODDARD
& DOUGLAS at 10 A.M. on Mondays and Thurs-
days.
All claims must be presented within ten
days of the Steamer's arrival here after which
date they cannot be recognized.
No claims will be admitted after the goods
have left the Godown.
MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO.,
Agents.
Hongkong, November 11th, 1921. [1740]

S.S. "AMAZONE"

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from MARSHIL-
LES in connection with above Steamer
are hereby informed that their Goods with the
exception of Opium, Treasures and Valuables
are being landed and stored at their risk, into the
hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of
the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown
Co., Ltd., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be
obtained immediately after landing.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless
intimation is received from the Consignees
before Noon, To-day, requesting it to be landed
here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the
Underigned. Goods remained undelivered after
the 15th Nov., at Noon, will be subject to rent
and landing charges.
All claims must be sent in to me on or before
the 19th Nov., or they will not be recognized.
All damaged packages will be examined by
Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, on WEDNESDAY,
the 16th Nov., at 10 A.M.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
R. BODENFUSER,
Acting Agent.
Hongkong, November 10th, 1921. [1737]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

The Steamship "WRAY CASTLE"
FROM NEW YORK

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed
that all Goods are being landed at their
risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and
Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd.,
at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves
delivery may be obtained.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice
to the contrary be given before 9th Inst.
No claims will be admitted after the Goods
have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining
undelivered after the 15th Inst., will be subject to
rent.
All claims against the steamer must be pre-
sented to the Underigned on or before the
25th Inst., or they will not be recognized.
All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to
be left in the Godowns, where they will be
examined on the 15th Inst., at 10 A.M.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
DODWELL & CO., LTD.,
Agents.
Hongkong, October 20th, 1921. [1730]

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1632]

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in the following countries—China, India and
Japan. Reply giving full particulars to
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Fleet Street, E.C. 4, London, England. [1738]

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Shanghai. Previous experience in salesmanship
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CARVALHO.—At the St. Paul's Hospital, on
November 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. T. A.
CARVALHO, a daughter. [1742]

MARRIAGE.
WALKER—CAMP.—At Shanghai, on Novem-
ber 5th, WILLIE JAMES WALKER, of
Brooklyn, London, to MARIE FRANCES
CAMP, of Putney, London.

HONGKONG OFFICE: 104, DES VOEUX RD., C.
LONDON OFFICE: 131, FLEET STREET, E.C.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, NOVEMBER 14TH, 1921.

CANTON GOVERNMENT AND THE TREATIES.

In a further letter, published in our
issue of Saturday, Mr. EUGENE CHEN
commences with the statement that
China, as a sovereign State, has always
possessed a right to impose whatever
taxes she chose on imported goods, and
he proceeds to say that, although her
general right so to tax imported goods
was restricted by Treaty, no restrictions
whatsoever were placed on her right to
impose a Consumption Tax on goods
imported or otherwise; and he challenges
us to cite chapter and verse of any Treaty
which does so restrict that right. In
other words, he contends that, inasmuch
as the only taxation on imported foreign
goods specifically dealt with in the
Treaties of Nanking and Tientsin is the
Customs Tariff on importation, (and the
ad valorem duty payable on transit,
should merchandise be sent into the
interior), therefore, China still possesses
a right to render the Treaties utterly
null and void in this respect by imposing
whatever further taxes she pleases on
such merchandise at its destination and
immediately after its importation. Now,
as we pointed out in a previous Article,
such a construction of the Treaties would
lead to a gross absurdity, and it is a
well-known rule of construction of
Statutes, which is equally applicable to
Treaties, that they cannot be so construed
as to lead to an absurdity when a
construction can be given to them which
is not only reasonable but carries out
the obvious intent of those who framed
them. It is manifest that such a con-
struction as is contended for by Mr.
EUGENE CHEN would lead to an absurdity,
and render the Treaties altogether use-
less to foreign merchants, if, while the
latter are permitted to import mer-
chandise free from all taxation except
Customs duties, they should be prevented
from afterwards freely dealing with such
merchandise by reason of the fact that
purchasers thereof could be compelled to
pay further, and possibly prohibitive,
taxes. Mr. EUGENE CHEN somewhat
naively suggests that "even skilled diplo-
mats" were "trapped" when they
undertook to cause it to be expressly pro-
vided by the Treaties that no further
taxation should be levied on foreign
imported merchandise after its arrival at
the place of destination; but the fact is
that no such express provision
was necessary, the intent of the parties
being obvious. Therefore the only reason-
able construction which can be placed
on the Treaties is one which carries
out that intent. The very fact that
it has now been suggested on behalf
of the Canton Government that diplo-
mats were so "trapped" shows the trend
of thought of the members of that Gov-
ernment, and that their intention is to
take advantage of anything which ap-
pears to them might enable them to dis-
regard the Treaty obligations of China
as hitherto understood, and, in fact, as
acted upon by the Central Government
at Peking. And yet they ask that their
Government should be recognized by the
Powers!

Mr. EUGENE CHEN persists in stating
that the Mackay Treaty gave British
recognition to a right already possessed
by China to levy whatever Consumption
Tax she pleased in respect of mer-
chandise of any description. The fact is
that, so far from recognizing such a
right—certainly in respect of foreign
merchandise—the Treaty conferred a right
to levy the tax on goods of Chinese
origin, upon the condition of the aboli-
tion of *likin*. That condition has not
been fulfilled, and yet it is now claimed
by the Canton Government that a Con-
sumption Tax may lawfully be levied, not
only on goods of Chinese origin but also
on goods of foreign origin. To put it in
another way, it is claimed by that Gov-
ernment that foreign merchants are now
in an infinitely worse position than they
would have been had that condition been
fulfilled. Such a contention is a self-
evident absurdity.

Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Borrett were
passengers by the P. & O. s.s. *Karnata*
which left Hongkong on Saturday on the
homeward voyage.

The total output of the Kailan Mining
Administration's mines for the week end-
ing October 29th amounted to 85,376 tons
and the sales to 92,431 tons.

A meeting of the Legislative Council
takes place this afternoon. The principal
business will be the second reading of the
Supply Bill on which the discussion of
the Budget takes place.

A Chinese woman, living at No. 5,
On Tai Street, reported to the police, on
Saturday, that during the previous
morning her cubicle had been entered and
jewellery to the value of \$252, and \$569
in money, had been stolen.

An agricultural teaching station has
been established under Mr. Chas. H.
Riggs, at Shaowu, in Fukien Province,
the newest station of the Congregational
Board in China. About twenty acres of
land was secured, which was originally
useless to the Chinese farmers, and hence
has furnished an opportunity to demon-
strate how land apparently valueless can
be improved with modern methods.

The information we published on Satur-
day regarding the motor car accident
requires correction in one or two details.
We are informed that Mr. Souza's car,
No. 168, driven by Mr. Lopes, appeared
from the side road and was run into by
car No. 335, owned by the manager of the
Yokohama Specie Bank. A wheel of car
No. 168 was struck and as a result of the
collision car No. 335 went over the em-
bankment. The Dragon cars were not in
the accident, but arrived on the spot
afterwards. It is the driver of No. 335
(not 338) who is in hospital.

"The Times Trade Supplement" com-
pares the British percentage of total trade
with China in 1920 with that of America
in the same year as follows:—Imports:
British, 43.95; American, 17.80. Exports:
British, 35.61; American, 12.32. These
figures are the more encouraging seeing
that as far as British exports to China
are concerned they represent an increase
of 104 per cent. over the figures for 1919,
while the exports of the United States
to China increased by 28.90 per cent.
only over the 1919 figures. British trade
shows every sign of recovery from the
effects of the war.

The fire at West Point which attracted
attention from the harbour, last night,
was a grass fire near Jubilee Road.

A Bazaar and Fete in aid of the
Ministering Children's League and the
Kowloon British School Games Fund is
announced for Saturday next to be held
in the grounds of Chatter Bungalow,
Kowloon.

The St. John's Cathedral Branch of
the Church of England Men's Society
announce a very attractive concert in the
Cathedral Hall for to-morrow night.
The programme will be found among to-
day's advertisements.

Three Chinese were charged before Mr.
R. E. Lindsell, on Saturday, with having
three revolvers and 18 rounds of ammuni-
tion in their possession, without permis-
sion from the Captain Superintendent of
the Police. Inspector Watt stated that
the discovery was made at No. 8, Stanley
Street and was granted one week's re-
mand.

In a letter to the *Observer*, Mr. M. M.
Johnson says: "It is only too true that
the general idea is that the Pekingese is
a delicate lap dog, though fortunately
this misconception obtains more among
onlookers than owners of these provoca-
tive and curious creatures. On their be-
half he points out one of the most im-
portant, but essential, weaknesses—their
glorious eyes. The Chinese fondness for
breeding 'Pekies' is well-known. The
Chinese are responsible for a two-tailed gold-fish with
protruding eyes. He is responsible—
almost criminally so—for the prominent,
unprotected orbs of the Pekingese dog,
though, after all, only partially so. He
did not intend his curio to mix with fox
and other terriers, to which pugilistic
creatures many a one-eyed 'Peki' or
'Jap' owes his unhappy disfigurement.
These Orient features, whilst healthy and
strong as regards vision, appeal also for
another kind of protection. They are apt
to weep in the face of keen winds, or
sunshine.

THE WARWICK COMEDY CO.

"THE DOUBLE EVENT"

There was room in the Royal Theatre
on Saturday night for a larger audience
than that which assembled to see the
Warwick Comedy Co. in the sporting
comedy "The Double Event". Possibly
the fact that so many ladies must have
been very tired after the day at
the Bazaar accounted for the house
not being full. The story is of a
reformer's daughter who is assisted by
a benevolent old uncle to earn her
own livelihood. She is represented as
earning a living as an artist, though
hitherto rightly unsuspected of having
the smallest gifts in that direction. How
she really makes money is by carrying
on a lucrative turf commission agency
business under the style of a firm, in
a flat adjoining her studio. A good deal
of fun is introduced by the impetuous
old rector, "trying his luck" with the
agency, in ignorance, of course, that his
daughter is running it. The rector never
loses, whether the "cert" he backs is
among the "also rans," or left at the
post, and he is thus able to afford to
clothe himself in a style which his meagre
stipend would not allow. But the
daughter's deception cannot long be kept
from the knowledge of her relatives. Her
cheery brother is the first to make the
discovery and she finds him helpful and
friendly. Alas, through an unfortunate
contretemps on the part of the office boy,
the pious old aunt makes the discovery.
Instead of getting a personal cheque from
her artist niece for some charitable pur-
pose, she gets a cheque and a statement
of account from the Turf Agency, intended
for some successful client—and there is
trouble of a very diverting kind. Another
character in the play is an admirer of
Mary's a Captain Dennison, who is dis-
tressed on making the discovery and is
resolved to smother the business. He
obtains the names of many wealthy cus-
tomers of the Agency, and, over the
telephone, he plunges heavily with the
Agency in their names. The lady bookie,
in the heat of an altercation with her
pious aunt, neglects, until it was too late,
to "lay off" with other bookmaking estab-
lishments, and the heavily backed horse
winning, the Agency becomes insolvent.
An offer by the benevolent old uncle to
come to the rescue is rejected, but he
achieves his object by heavily backing
in the names of rich clients, rank just
sider, and so gets the Agency in a state
of solvency again. Mary suspects that
the smother was cleverly arranged by her
admirer and in the denouement there is
the expected confession and the sort of
reconciliation that both desired.

The comedy was very entertaining, but
we have seen the Warwick Comedy Com-
pany in plays which do the talented
troupe greater justice. In the leading
roles, Miss Joan Mayne was very good as
the lady bookie disguised as an artist, but
Mr. Thorpe-Mayne was much too paternal
in appearance and manner for the role of
Mary's lover. Mr. Tom Fenwick's get-up
as the Rev. Hubert Swivel was excellent
and his acting created much amusement.
Miss Marjory Clark made an admirable
Billy, the office boy. Miss Lena Flower-
dew had the part of the pious and
gravely shocked aunt; Mr. Charles
Bradley the part of the generous but
sadly bespeckled uncle; Miss Dorothy
Radford that of Celestine, the servant
girl, and Frank Whitley Mr. Edgar
Warwick, and Mr. Dudley Howarth had
other minor parts.

To-night the Company stage Cyril
Harcourt's comedy "Compromised."

TYPHOON WARNING.

The following telegram has been re-
ceived by the American Consul-General,
Hongkong, from the Manila Observa-
tory:—
November 12th, 11 a.m.
Typhoon in about 145 deg. Long. E.
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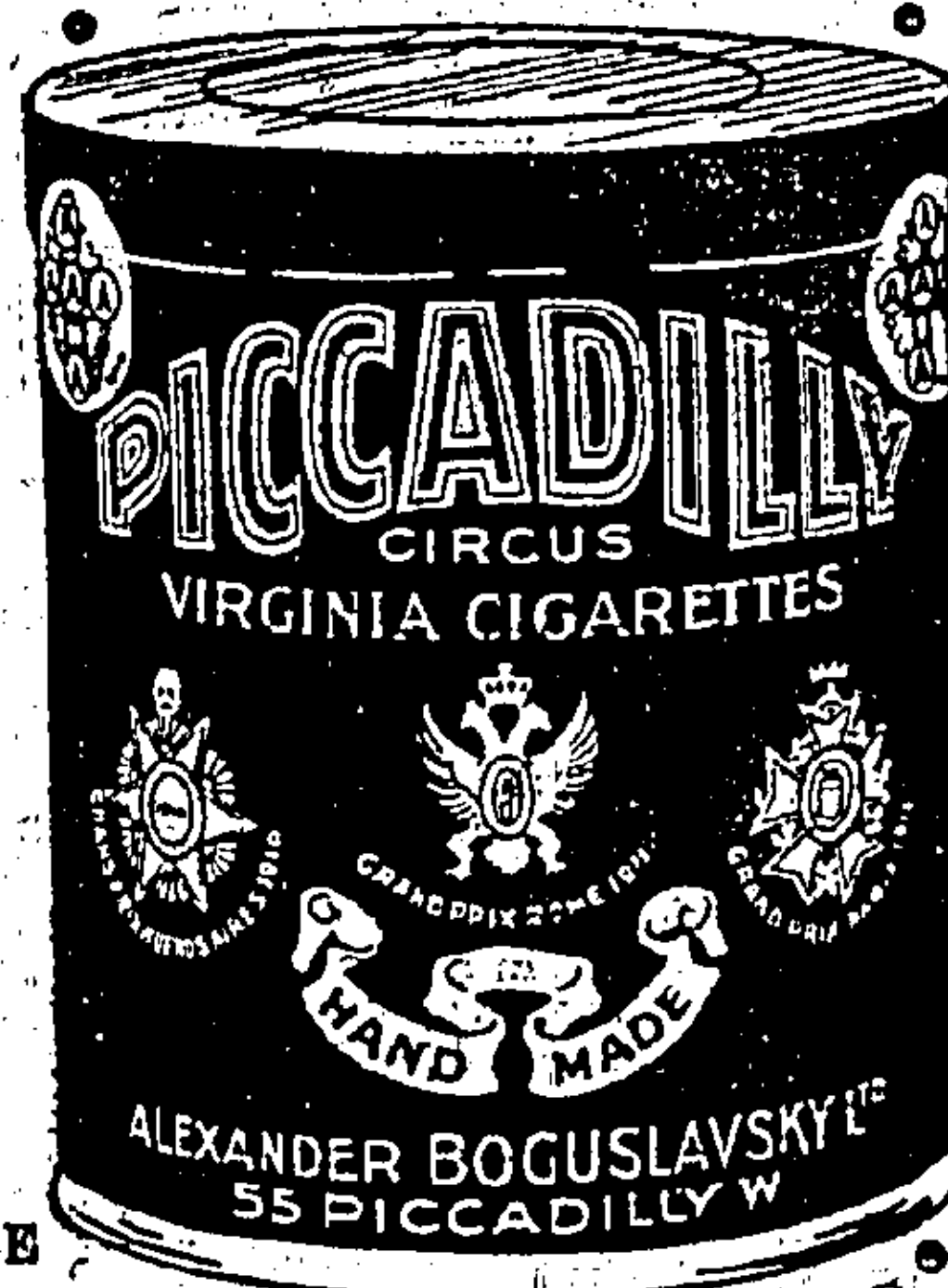
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BRITISH CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE. CLOSING OF THE CONFERENCE. THE THREE DAYS' SESSION.

The annual conference of British Chambers of Commerce in China and Hongkong at Shanghai came to a conclusion on Saturday morning, November 5th, when before a full attendance of the delegates, distinguished guests and members of the public, Mr. W. B. Kennett, who had presided over the deliberations of the Conference in committee made a report on the work which had been done during the previous three days.

Following the transaction of a little business in committee, the Conference resolved itself into a full session, Mr. E. F. Mackay again presiding.

Mr. Kennett, in presenting his report said:—
The discussions which have taken place have been interesting and instructive in every case, and if we do not succeed in getting all we have asked for in our Resolutions, we have at least had a full exchange of views and have acquired much information which will be of assistance to us in the future. It has been obvious that the movers of Resolutions have devoted great pains to the preparation of their respective subjects. The discussions throughout have shown the most earnest desire on the part of all present to assist in arriving at an accurate expression of the best collective opinion.

I will ask you to let me take up a few minutes of your time in referring to some of the principal matters discussed.

First, the Conference in Committee has adopted a Constitution for the Associated Chambers of Commerce in China and Hongkong, which provides machinery for the conduct of its business and its financial affairs.

PROTECTION OF CHINESE.

We had a very interesting and instructive discussion as to Customs Tariff, Rule 1, and the consensus of opinion voiced by the large majority of those present at the discussion was to the effect that this Rule should be re-worded so as to remove the hardship which is sometimes worked by its present interpretation. The Conference in Committee has approved the views expressed by the Shanghai Chamber to His Majesty's Consul-General on the subject of Trade Marks and Copyright and the means of enforcing a law relating to Trade Marks and Copyright in China. A very important Resolution was passed with regard to foreign protection granted to Chinese in Shanghai and other Treaty Ports in China, calling attention to the great evil which exists by reason of the facility with which Chinese who seek to evade the jurisdiction of the Mixed Court in respect of liabilities which they have incurred, become naturalized or protected subjects of foreign countries. It was made clear in the discussion that this naturalization or protection is granted by certain Foreign Consulates without any residence by the Chinese citizen concerned in a foreign country, and even without his having any intention of going to reside there. So far as is known this matter has never been tested by appeal from the Consulate to the Minister of the Foreign State concerned, or by being challenged in the Mixed Court. It is suggested that one or both of these means of dealing with this great evil might be adopted. It is hardly conceivable that a Mixed Court, which is after all a Chinese Court, would allow China to be deprived of her citizens in this summary and irregular manner.

The Conference has passed Resolutions relating to the Produce and Stock Exchanges which have sprung up in Shanghai in such amazing numbers, and it is earnestly hoped that some means may be found to check this serious evil.

Mr. Clennell has read to us a paper obviously prepared with great labour and extensive personal knowledge on the problem of conserving the Yangtze River. That paper will form a most valuable addition to the records of the Association and will without doubt frequently be referred to by those in search of information in the future.

EDUCATION.

I should make special reference to the debate which took place yesterday afternoon in connection with the report prepared by a Committee presided over by Mr. Cooper on the subject of the education of Chinese on British lines. At that debate we were honoured by the presence of Sir William Brunyate, Dr. Lavington Hart, the Rev. Mr. Sparham, the Rev. Bernard Upward, and Dr. Mc Gillivray, all of whom contributed to the debate, and Sir William Brunyate furnished us with a valuable Memorandum on the matter. We are greatly indebted to these distinguished educationalists for coming here to help us on this difficult question. The Conference has taken definite action to enable the funds, which have been accumulated to be made use of.

The Conference has also dealt with the Cable Service between different China ports, Finance, Surtaxes, the Shanghai Mint, and other important matters.

CHINA'S CHAOTIC GOVERNMENT.

I will now ask your permission to make some reference to conditions arising out of the present lack of order, lack of good government, and lack of proper machinery for the administration of justice in China. I speak on this subject with very great diffidence, and I would not do so at all but for the fact that from this cause arise a large number of the problems which we have discussed during the past few days. I would like to preface what I have to say by pointing out that interests are in no way in opposition to or even divergent from the needs and interests of the Chinese people. I mean by the Chinese people the great mass of the population of this country, merchants, farmers and handicraftsmen, who suffer as much and even more than we do from the political, military, and administrative disorder, which endangers the lives and property of the Chinese and foreign inhabitants of China at the present time. Merchants do not care to intervene in political

matters if they can avoid it, but they, or all others, whether they be Chinese or foreign merchants, are the people most interested in good government, good order and proper administration of justice in China. The position of the merchant under bad government is very like that of the tenant beneath the barrow; he at least understands the discomfort of his position, and he can hardly be blamed if he sometimes gives expression to his views.

PEKING AND CANTON.

It is hardly necessary for me to describe the condition of disorder existing in China to-day. We are, unfortunately, all too familiar with it, but I will mention the extraordinary position brought about by the fact that there is one Government in Peking and another Government in Canton. The Peking Government is the only one recognized by the Foreign Legations. The Peking Government has no control at all over at least five provinces, where the influence of the Canton Government is predominant. The effect of that is with regard to difficulties and questions which arise between foreign merchants and Chinese Officials in those five provinces or more, the ordinary diplomatic channels through which communication should be made to the Chinese Officials are obstructed. The British Consuls in the provinces under the Canton Government do their utmost to assist British merchants, and I am personally aware of cases where they have given valuable and prompt advice and assistance, but the fact remains that the regular procedure for dealing with claims and complaints cannot be carried through, with the result that a large part of China is removed from the effective enforcement of the Treaties. Other provinces, such as Chekiang, although they do not adhere to the Canton Government, show no great respect for the Peking Government. The result is a general dislocation of the procedure which has been set up for facilitating the relations between foreign merchants and the Chinese Officials.

DR. TONG'S DESCRIPTION.

I will read to you an extract from an address issued by Dr. F. C. Tong to the Conference of Chinese Chambers of Commerce which was published in the North-China Daily News on October 27th. Dr. Tong says:—

"Theoretically there are two Governments, one ruling in the city of Peking and the other in the city of Canton, but actually there is no Government, since every official does as he pleases and every military takes what he pleases of the public revenue. A country cannot exist without some Government. There must be a machine to keep things in order. That machine with us is rusted and broken down and the entire people suffer. Even before the Revolution men were advocating methods for improving the State, but these men were generally either politicians or militarists and the people were suspicious that they sought to gain control of the Government in their own interests. I cannot say that this was the aim of every body, but it was so with most of the early reformers, whose work has thus far only resulted in national bankruptcy."

Dr. Tong goes on to say:—

"The militarists and officials cannot be trusted. The students should be at their books preparing themselves for future labour. The workmen have neither the experience nor leisure to serve the State. Only the merchants, educationalists, industrialists and bankers can have leisure and experience and can command the respect of the people."

That is the view of a Chinese on the present situation. I have quoted Dr. Tong not because I wish to shift from my shoulders to his the responsibility for such forcible language, but because I think that he uses very apt words in his description of the present situation, and because his address shows that the interests of the vast bulk of the Chinese people are identical with our interests, and that is in the Chinese merchants and the solid elements of the nation that the hope for the future of China lies. I do not suggest for a moment that there are not many public spirited statesmen and officials in China; we know there are many such, but it cannot be said that their influence is very widely felt. It cannot be said that the fault lies with the mass of the Chinese people. The Chinese are neither a turbulent nor an ungovernable people; on the contrary they are peaceable and order loving, ardently desiring to be allowed to carry on their business in order and security. This is strongly evidenced by the way in which Chinese merchants seek the security and order of the Treaty Ports. Dr. Tong himself refers to the fact that the Conference of Chinese Chambers was held in a Treaty Port under the protection of Foreign Police. Dr. Tong later refers to the possibility of foreign intervention, because of national bankruptcy, which he regards as a calamity.

We can quite understand the feelings of Dr. Tong as a Chinese in using these words. Intervention has an ugly sound. It implies that the impulse and desire come from without. I venture to think that in the present state of affairs in China the desire for help might come from within. China would naturally resent uninvited interference with her affairs. But why does she not ask for foreign assistance in the work of re-organization? I think that there are two principal reasons. First she thinks that foreign assistance might imply foreign aggression, foreign control, and possibly the loss of her integrity as an independent Sovereign State; and secondly, her pride stands in the way. She is somewhat in the position of a man owing a car which he has not learned to drive, and hesitating to ask for help and instruction, first, lest the instructor might stay too long in the car, and secondly, lest he might lose face by admitting his inability to drive. China has recognized that the methods of government of all modern civilized nations, subject to modifications necessary to meet the nature and temperament of the people, are the methods which she must eventually adopt. The clock cannot now be set back several centuries, yet the machinery for government and administration on modern lines does not exist in China.

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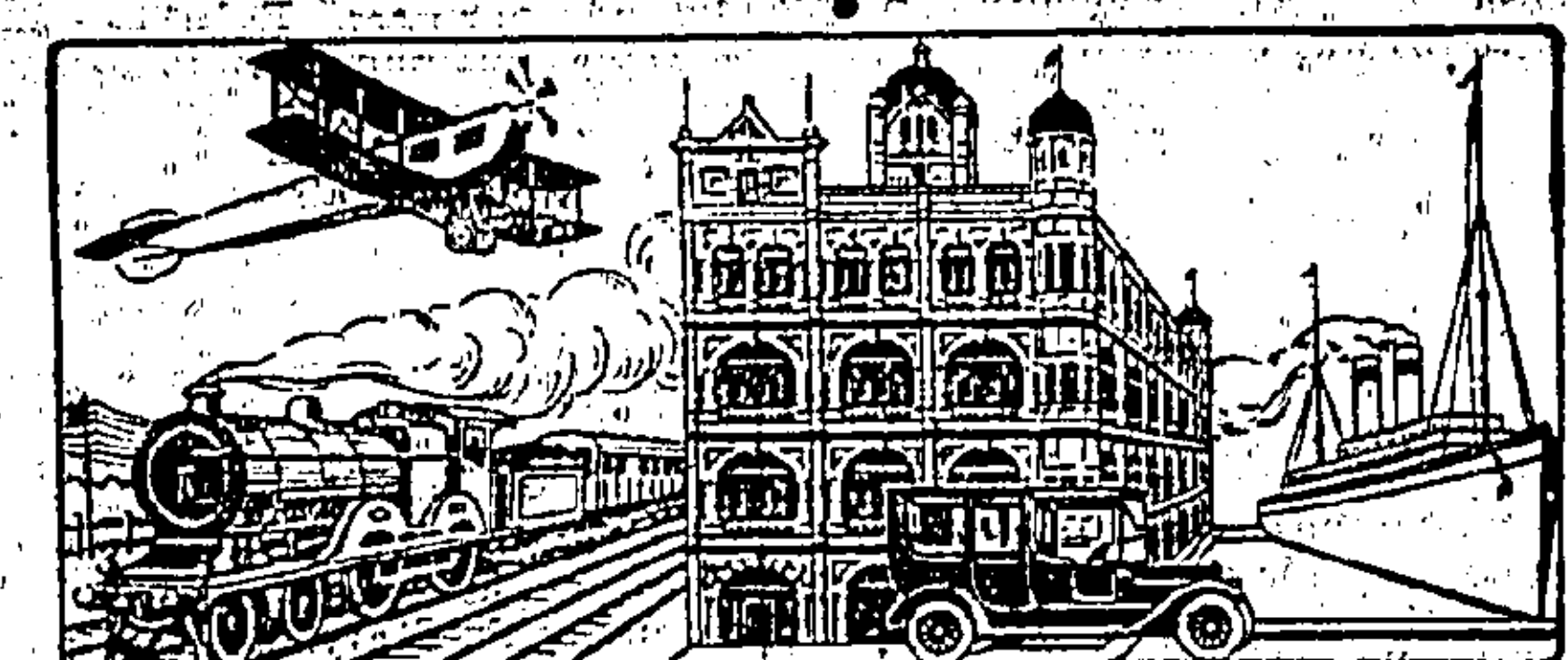
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and she hesitates to ask for foreign aid to set up such machinery and teach her to run it, for fear that her national independence may be lost. Is there any great danger of such an eventuality in these days? The present tendency is against aggression by one nation against another. It is fully recognized that aggression by any one Power against any other does not concern those two Powers only but is a matter of world-wide concern. Obviously any assistance given to China must not be of an aggressive and self-seeking nature, but must be friendly in its elements and unselfish in its aims. The Powers concerned could surely take together such precautionary measures that no one of them would be able to take advantage of China's needs to further selfish or improper ends.

We fully recognize that international jealousies still exist, and that there are many difficulties in the way of foreign help to China. It is our hope to see her organized on modern lines her Government and public services, including the provision of codes of laws suitable to modern requirements, and the reorganization of the judicial system; but there are always difficulties in the way of every attempt at reform and improvement, and I venture to think that none of these difficulties equals in gravity the danger of a continuance of the present state of chaos in China.

THE LOSS OF DIGNITY.
The second obstacle, which I have presumed, to a request from China for foreign assistance is that China might consider it an inquiry to her pride; but China is in the throes of transition to a new system for the working of which her past system of Government and administration has not provided her with a sufficient number of trained men. No man thinks it a derogation from his dignity to ask for assistance and instruction in setting up and working new and complicated machinery. Surely China does not hesitate to ask for assistance under present circumstances. No injury to her pride which would be thereby incurred can equal the injury to her prestige, which results from the present utterly discreditable state of affairs. If China would see fit to employ foreign experts they might be part and parcel of her own public services. They might be considered as experts lending aid rather than foreign officials exercising control.

I say without any hesitation that the resolutions relating to the present state of China spring from feelings of the greatest friendship towards the Chinese people. We recognize that the Chinese people as a whole ardently desire good government, good administration and clean justice. If some of those exercising power in China to-day have contrary desires, we are convinced that they do not truly represent the Chinese people, and we think that the time will come when all instead of a minority of those who hold and those who seek power in China will realize that the underlying principle of men who enter public services in civilized communities is not a desire for the emoluments of office, but a desire to render service to the State.

I am confident that I correctly interpret the spirit of this Conference when I say that we are firm friends of the Chinese people; we seek no rights which are incompatible with justice to them, and will lend our support to no schemes which are inconsistent with their best interests.

MR. MACKAY ON MORE CONSTRUCTIVE WORK.

Mr. MACKAY said:—Ladies and Gentlemen, You have, I expect, listened with as much interest as I have done to the valuable review which Mr. Kennett has given us of the work which this Conference has just completed. I think you will agree with me that much of that work has been of a decidedly constructive character. In some respects, as I shall presently illustrate, we have been more constructive than we were either last year or the year before. This has been the result, perhaps, of much greater freedom of discussion. Delegates and others were ready to intervene in debate in true debating fashion, so much so that it must at times have been hard work for Mr. Kennett to keep the issues which were before the Conference clear and distinct.

To illustrate what I have just said in regard to the constructive character of the work of the Conference I would endorse Mr. Kennett's remarks in regard to that much debated question, Rule 1 of the Customs Tariff. I think for the first time we have succeeded in obtaining a practically unanimous expression of opinion as to what we business men think, and in doing this we have laid a solid foundation for the discussions which will take place when the tariff comes to be revised. Until then, I fear, nothing further can be done in this matter, but whereas at the last tariff revision, the meaning of the rule was discussed by selected experts, on the next occasion it will be possible for us to point to the resolution recorded in the minutes of this very representative Conference.

A STEP FORWARD.
Another illustration of the constructive nature of our work is the resolution which was passed in connection with the Commercial Diplomatic Service. The resolution as it originally stood on the agenda was no more than a repetition of a twice told tale. As such, had it been passed in that form, it would, of course, have been forwarded to His Majesty's Government, but in all probability it would have got us no further. In the form in which it was actually passed, however, I think it should get us very much further. It will show His Majesty's Government that we approve the difficulties which have prevented them from giving effect to our wishes and it will show them also how those wishes can be met by utilizing the Consular Service in which we all of us place so much confidence.

More important than either of these illustrations is the one furnished by the long and exceedingly interesting discussion which took place on the subject of the education of Chinese on British lines.

As a result of that discussion the Association has adopted the report drawn up by the Central Committee authorized at last year's Conference. That means that we have now a definite workable scheme on which in view of the sum already subscribed, roughly £15,000 we can, at last, begin work. Gentlemen, I appeal to you and to all British firms and subjects in China to put themselves unitedly behind this work, and though times are bad, to do their utmost to bring the fund up to an adequate figure.

DELIBERATIVE WORK.
In dwelling on the constructive side of the work of the Conference I do not, of course, in any way imply that its purely deliberative work has been, or is likely to be, other than important. On the contrary, we have passed resolutions which, while merely expressing our opinions, may well have most important results. We have, for example, registered once again our opinion as to the only conditions on which a settlement of the Shanghai question can be regarded from a business standpoint as satisfactory. That opinion has been published and will, I have no doubt, be transmitted by the news agencies to the centres directly influencing the Washington Conference. I may also state that a resolution has been passed indicating what British merchants in China think in regard to the present position of China's finances and in regard to such important questions as that of extra-territoriality. Steps are being taken to convey our views on these matters immediately and without delay to the notice of our authorities in Washington.

Mr. Marker and Mr. Argent made a very clear exposition of the disastrous effects to British trade caused by recent lawlessness in the upper Yangtze, and of the necessity of recovering compensation from the Chinese Government in order to bring home to them their responsibilities as a civilized nation.

DUAL NATIONALITY ABUSE.
The abuse of the system under which Chinese secure dual nationality in order to escape the jurisdiction of the Mixed Court and so evade their just obligations was clearly emphasized by Mr. Teesdale and it is hoped that action will be taken by the Consular body in order effectively to remove it. Something covered it is hoped may be evolved from Mr. Anderson's suggestions to deal with the serious nature of the trouble likely to arise from the growth of these unhealthy produce and stock exchanges which are daily springing up in the Settlement. Both from a constructive and a deliberative point of view, therefore, I think we may regard the past week's work as highly satisfactory.

For the fact that it has been so, I think the Shanghai Chamber owes the most sincere thanks to the other members of this Association and to the delegates who have so ably represented them.

I have to thank the members of my committee for their ready help in preparing the way for the holding of this Conference, and particularly Mr. Fox, who though an honorary member of our committee, is yet always most willing to render any assistance in the courteous and efficient manner in which his work is always accomplished.

I have to thank Mr. Kennett for undertaking and performing in an exceedingly competent and tactful manner the duties of Chairman of the Conference in Committee. I think also that I should convey thanks of this Conference to His Honour Judge Skinner Turner for the use of this building. I feel sure that everybody appreciates to the full the nature of the privilege which we have now enjoyed for three years in succession. Most important perhaps of all, I have again to ask you to thank Mr. Gull and the members of the Chamber's staff for the able manner in which they have carried out their heavy and responsible duties. Mr. Gull who is most loyally helped by his assistant, Mr. Campbell, takes and often requires the greatest possible absorbing interest in his work, which he accomplishes with judgment and tact.

EXTRAVAGANT LIVING.
There is another subject I would like to touch on before I sit down and that is the subject of the cost of living. It is pointed out in recent trade journals that Great Britain is constantly losing orders to Germany and Belgium for big contracts abroad in lines in which for years before the War she specialised and which she practically controlled. I speak more particularly of the steel trade and certain departments of engineering. That is most serious for Great Britain, because she sorely needs to increase her exports, and is in urgent need of work for her unemployed. The reason is, of course, that although there has been and continues to be a fall in wages, the fall is not sufficient to reduce cost of production to meet cheaper competitive rates from countries which have not continued to maintain the high, I should say the extravagant, cost of living introduced during the War.

One would have imagined that, by now, a return to normal conditions would have been secured by the sensible people we conceive ourselves to be. Instead, we have all classes holding tenaciously to War conditions, not only in England, but in almost every English community in every part of the globe. Both the youth and what should be the serious middle age of Shanghai, as elsewhere, are equally guilty of careless extravagance in living, and I think it is time that a halt was called.

I appeal strongly not only to our British youth, but also perhaps more strongly to those holding higher positions of responsibility to do their part and assist by making a serious effort to return to more normal, more sensible, conditions in their manner of living.

THE DATE OF THE MEETING.
A resolution was passed on Friday morning asking the Committee of the Shanghai Chamber to consider whether China New Year or some months after than November would not be a more suitable one for our annual gathering. That suggestion will have due consideration in consultation with other Chambers, but in that respect I wish to ask from all who are members of the Associated Chambers of Commerce co-operation in our work. It is the natural centre at which other Chambers can most conveniently meet, and it is only for that reason we meet here. This Chamber should the Government.

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My Committee regards with the utmost anxiety the recent newspaper report that it is proposed to strip the Chinese Government of its extrajurisdictional immunity by means of a Customs Surfact and we hope that, unless the proceeds of such a surtax can be expended under foreign supervision and control, the suggestion will not receive the approval of H.M. Government.

JAPANESE PREMIER'S DEATH.
Ladies and Gentlemen, before I resume my seat I have to state that I learn this morning that news has been received of the assassination of the Japanese Premier, Mr. Hara, and I feel sure I am voicing the feeling of this meeting when I ask that if the news is confirmed an expression of our deepest sympathy be extended to the Japanese Government and people through the Japanese Consul here at this shocking and untimely fatality.

Mr. S. F. MAYERS, Peking endorsed the expressions of thanks of the president and voiced the appreciation of the Conference of the manner in which Mr. Mackay had performed his office of president, his office of president, and after Messrs. Mackay and Kennett had returned thanks the Conference came to a conclusion.

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVALS.

November 11th.

Tjibodas, Dutch str., 2,933 tons, Capt. P. Weide, from Batavia and Balikpapan, with sugar.—J.C.J.C.

Tjimonok, Dutch str., 3,560 tons, Capt. J. P. Scholten, from Sourabaya, with a general cargo.—J.C.J.C.

Wahung, Chinese str., 324 tons, Capt. Chang Hin Fong, from Fort Bayard and Macao, with a general cargo.—Wing Hang.

November 12th.

Borneo, Dutch str., 4,198 tons, Capt. J. R. Scholten, from Shanghai, with a general cargo.—J.C.J.C.

Hok Canton, Chinese str., 536 tons, Capt. Leung Hong, from K. C. Wan and Macao, with a general cargo.—Wing Hang.

Hydrangea, British str., 381 tons, Capt. W. J. Colton, R.N.R., from Swatow, with a general cargo.—Chiu On S.S. Co.

Kaiyo Maru, Japanese str., 2,015 tons, Capt. S. Nomura, from Swatow, with a general cargo.—O.S.K.

Kurichong, British str., 1,220 tons, Capt. R. Ritchie, from Canton, with a general cargo.—B. & S.

Memo Maru, Japanese str., 3,535 tons, Capt. M. Satoh, from Kobe and Nagasaki, with a general cargo.—O.S.K.

Shanghai, British str., 1,228 tons, Capt. R. Ashby, from Canton.—B. & S.

Suiyang, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. W. Sharr, from Shanghai and Swatow, with a general cargo.—B. & S.

Yaching, British str., 1,424 tons, Capt. J. McAnish, from Bangkok and Swatow, with a general cargo.—J.M. & Co.

November 13th.

Uehongshing, British str., 1,266 tons, Capt. T. Croft, from Tientsin and Weihaiwei, with a general cargo.—J.M. & Co.

Chusan, British str., 1,339 tons, Capt. Ross Lewis, from Bangkok and Swatow, with a general cargo.—B. & S.

Haiching, British str., 1,267 tons, Capt. J. S. Thomson, from Swatow with a general cargo.—D.L. & Co.

Hara Maru, Japanese str., 1,684 tons, Capt. B. Aoki, from Chingwantao, with coal.—Dodwell & Co.

Japan, British str., 3,537 tons, Capt. B. W. Rowe, from Moji, with a general cargo.—Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co.

Kwaiyang, British str., 1,256 tons, Capt. H. Simpson, from Calcutta and Singapore, with a general cargo.—J.M. & Co.

Nichiren Maru, Japanese str., 1,188 tons, Capt. K. Funakoshi, from Canton.—M.B.K.

Nissei Maru, Japanese str., 1,761 tons, Capt. I. Iidawa, from Hongay, with coal.—Y. Sato.

Peleus, British str., 4,520 tons, Capt. S. G. Reynard, from Shanghai, with a general cargo.—B. & S.

Sonaki Maru, Japanese str., 3,561 tons, Capt. M. Tomita, from Moji, with a general cargo.—N.Y.K.

Sosaku Maru, Japanese str., 1,001 tons, Capt. K. Fukuo, from Takao, with a general cargo.—O.S.K.

Tydeus, British str., 4,776 tons, Capt. J. Ramsay, from Taku Bar and Keelung, with coal and general cargo.—B. & S.

CLEARANCES.

November 12th.

Borneo, for Saigon.

Kaiyong, for Pakhoi.

Kaiyo Maru, for Swatow.

Kweichow, for Weihaiwei.

Lokang, for Hothow.

Mexico Maru, for Singapore.

Ningchow, for Haiphong.

Shanghai, for Canton.

Suiyang, for K. C. Wan.

Wahung, for Manila.

Yingchow, for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVALS.

Per s.s. *Haiching*, on November 13th: Mr. and Mrs. Wiles, Mr. J. Oswald.

DEPARTURES.

Per s.s. *Karmala*, on November 12th: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gordon, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Oliveria, Mr. R. C. Aitkenhead, Rev. L. A. and Mrs. Gotwald, Mr. and H. W. Crocker, Mr. Colo, Miss E. B. Crocker, Miss H. Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. O'Driscoll, Mrs. McIntyre, Miss Borrett, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mr. B. N. Williams, Mrs. Bigden, Miss Dow, Col. and Mrs. Cosens, Mrs. Abbey, Miss Calvert, Miss Cookson, Mrs. W. E. Kent, Miss Christensen, Miss N. Neave, Mr. Skark, Mr. H. P. Surrey, Capt. and Mrs. Antonia Soares, Read-Admiral and Mrs. Borrett, Eng. Com. Frant, Lieut. Golding, Com. A. G. Johnstone, Pay-Lieut. Com. Hannett, Lieut. Machado, Mr. P. D. Mahaluxmivala, Mr. J. M. Hickson, Rev. F. J. Griffiths, Rev. T. Eldridge, Rev. E. A. Hamilton, O.P.O. Twobig, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Williams, Rev. and Mrs. Mackenzie, Mr. J. Twiss, Mr. S. G. Plumb, Mr. W. A. Ross, Miss M. B. Mortens, Miss Whiting, Mr. Williams, Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Broadrick, Rev. T. Gaunt, Dr. Kemmer, Mr. Nisbet, Mr. Chipperfield, Mrs. Gaunt, Miss Kemmer, Mr. H. Curtis, Mr. R. D. Thompson, Mr. Leggett and Mr. H. W. Chandler.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The China Mail s.s. *Nile* will be despatched to Singapore, Batavia and Sourabaya to-morrow, November 15th at 3 p.m. instead of to-day as previously advised.

The s.s. *Tydeus* (Blue Funnel line) left Taipei on the 11th inst. for Boston and New York via Hongkong. She was due here on the 13th inst., and will sail on the 15th inst.

The s.s. *Mentor* (Blue Funnel line) left Shanghai on the 11th inst. for London, Amsterdam and Antwerp via Hongkong. She is due here on the 14th inst., and will sail on the 15th inst.

The B.I. s.s. *Tanda* left Singapore on the 11th inst., and is expected to arrive at Hongkong on the 17th inst.

The R.M.S. *Empress of Japan* arrived at Shanghai on November 11th, at 10.30 p.m., left there on November 12th, at 6 p.m., and is due at Hongkong on November 15th, at 8 a.m.

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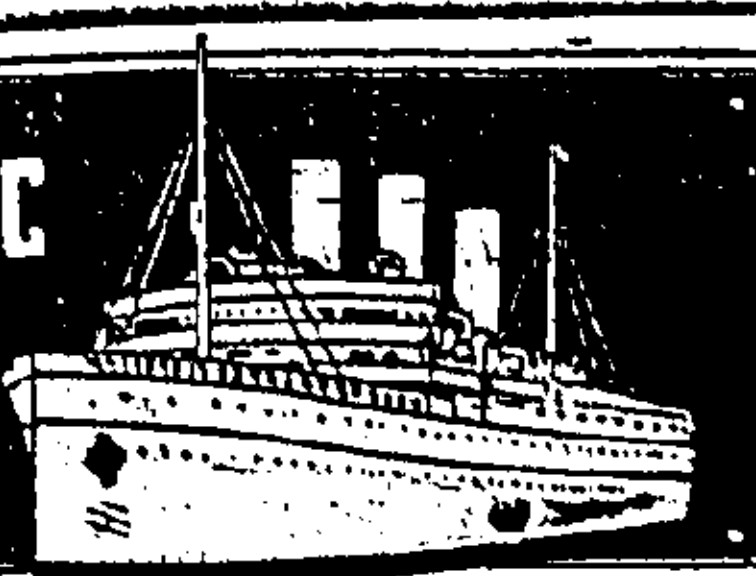


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"NELORE"	7,000	26th Dec.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"DONGOLA"	8,000	7th Jan. 1922	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"EGYPT"	7,941	18th Jan.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KASHMIR"	8,841	21st Jan.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"NAGOTA"	6,854	18th Feb.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KASHGAR"	8,840	4th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KEIVA"	8,017	18th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"DEVANHA"	8,008	1st Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"NOVABA"	8,850	18th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KALFA"	8,987	1st May	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"PLASSY"	7,946	15th May	Marseilles, London & Antwerp

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HANGHAI	"SUNGKOW"	On 15th Nov.	Noon
SWATOW & AMOY	"TEAN"	On 15th Nov.	Noon
MANILA, CEBU & ILOILO	"TAMING"	On 25th Nov.	4 P.M.

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THE ADMIRAL LINE

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PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO.

REGULAR SERVICE

SAIGON-SINGAPORE-BATAVIA

and other JAVA PORTS.

S.S. "LAKE FARRAR" ... Sailing Nov. 17th.

S.S. "GLYMONT" ... Sailing Nov. 19th.

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SERVICE to UNITED STATES

For NEW YORK and/or BOSTON via Panama.

S.S. "WEST HIMBOD" (via Panama) ... Second half of Nov.

S.S. "WYTHEVILLE" ... First half of Jan. 1922

For freight space and particulars apply to—

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PRINCE LINE FAR EAST SERVICE

Regular Sailings to Boston and/or New York by fast freight steamers

For BOSTON

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NOTICE POST OFFICE.

INWARD MAILS.

FROM	PER	DUR.
S.F. FRANCISCO and MANILA	Hoosier State	14th inst.
JAPAN	St. Albans	14th inst.
SWANSHAI	Singapore	14th inst.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Empress of Japan	15th inst.
EUROPE via Suez (Letters and Papers, London 15th Oct)	Tean	15th inst.
JAPAN	Kawachi Maru	16th inst.
SWANSHAI	Tsuyama Maru	16th inst.
SWANSHAI	Bombay Maru	16th inst.
JAPAN	Ganoo Maru	17th inst.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	Tango Maru	17th inst.
SWANSHAI	Fukushima Maru	17th inst.

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR	PER	DATE
Hakow and Haiphong	Lokong	Monday, 14th, 8.00 A.M.
Pakoi and Haiphong	Koifong	Monday, 14th, 9.00 A.M.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Monday, 14th, 2.30 P.M.
*Straits, *Bangkok, Calcutta and Aden	Doylston	Monday, 14th, 4.00 P.M.
*Swatow, *Shanghai and *North China	Sungay	Tuesday, 15th, 9.00 A.M.
Haiphong	Kwongkong	Tuesday, 15th, 9.00 A.M.
*Swatow and Bangkok	Chusan	Tuesday, 15th, 9.00 A.M.
Philippine Is., Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Is.	Ahi Maru	Tuesday, 15th, 8.45 A.M.
Straits, *Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, South Africa, India via Dhanukudi, Egypt and EUROPE via SUEZ	Mentor	Tuesday, 15th, 9.15 A.M.
The Parcel Mail will be closed at 5 p.m. on Monday, the 14th Nov.		
Haiphong	Haimun	Tuesday, 15th, 10.00 A.M.
Shanghai, North China, Dairen, Japan, Honolulu, *Canada, *U.S.A., *Central and *South America and *EUROPE via SAN FRANCISCO	Siberia Maru	Tuesday, 15th, 10.30 A.M.
Straits, *Bangkok, Calcutta and Aden	Japan	Tuesday, 15th, 11.30 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow	Hachino	Tuesday, 15th, Noon
Straits, *Bangkok, Batavia, and Sourabaya	Vile	Tuesday, 15th, 2.00 P.M.
*Swatow and *Bangkok	Yokohama	Tuesday, 15th, 5.00 P.M.

Philippine Is., Sandakan, Australia, and New Zealand, via Thursday Is.	St. Albans	Reg. 15th, 5.00 P.M.
Swatow, *Straits, *Bangkok	Lokong	Letters 16th, 8.30 A.M.
Sandakan	Lokong	Wednesday, 16th, 9.00 A.M.
*Swatow, *Shanghai, and *North China	Maunang	Wednesday, 16th, 11.00 A.M.
*Swatow, Amoy, and Takao	Choyana	Wednesday, 16th, 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai, North China, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via SAN FRANCISCO	Hoosier State	Thursday, 17th, 9.00 A.M.
*Shanghai and *North China	Sinking	Thursday, 17th, 11.00 A.M.
*Swatow and Amoy	Tean	Thursday, 17th, 11.00 A.M.
Straits, *Bangkok, Calcutta and Aden	Namang	Thursday, 17th, 2.00 P.M.
*Swatow, *Shanghai, and *N. China	Waikong	Thursday, 17th, 9.00 A.M.
*Japan	Tango Maru	Friday, 18th, 9.00 A.M.
Japan, Canada, United States, Central and South America and *EUROPE via Victoria, B.C.	Fukushima Maru	Friday, 18th, 9.45 A.M.
Tientsin	Chongking	Friday, 18th, 11.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow	Hai Long	Friday, 18th, Noon
Philippine Islands	Yuenang	Friday, 18th, 2.00 P.M.
Shanghai, North China and Japan	Yokohama Maru	Sunday, 20th, 9.00 A.M.

*Correspondence bearing vessel's name only.

THE BLUE FUNNEL LINE.

REGULAR AND FAST FREIGHT AND PASSENGER SERVICES LONDON SERVICE (DIRECT).

"MENTOR"	15th Nov.	London, Amsterdam & Antwerp.
"MACHAON"	22nd Nov.	London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.
"LAOMEDON"	6th Dec.	London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.
"TEIRESIAS"	13th Dec.	London, Amsterdam & Antwerp.
"BELLEROPHON"	20th Nov.	London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.

LIVERPOOL SERVICE

(DIRECT OR VIA CONTINENTAL PORTS).

"PELUS"	15th Nov.	Marseilles, Havre & Liverpool.
"ORESTES"	6th Dec.	Liverpool.
"DEUCALION"	14th Dec.	Marseilles, Havre & Liverpool.

PACIFIC SERVICE

(VIA KOBE AND YOKOHAMA).

"IXION"	22nd Nov.	
"TALPHYBIUS"	13th Dec.	Victoria, Seattle & Vancouver.
"TYNDAREUS"	3rd Jan.	

NEW YORK SERVICE

(VIA SUEZ OR PANAMA).

"TYDEUS"	15th Nov.	via Suez.
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PASSENGER SERVICE

"MENTOR"	15th Nov.	for Singapore & London.
"TEIRESIAS"	29th Nov.	for Shanghai.
"TEIRESIAS"	13th Dec.	for Singapore & London.

FOR FREIGHT, PASSAGE RATES AND ALL INFORMATION APPLY TO BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE AGENTS.

ASIA BANKING CORPORATION

(AN AMERICAN BANK).

Capital	US \$4,000,000
Surplus, over	US \$2,000,000

Head Office for the Orient: SHANGHAI.

BRANCHES: CANTON, HANKOW, MANILA, TIENTSIN, CHANGSHA, PEKING, SINGAPORE.

D. M. HIGGINS.

COMMERCIAL.

OPENING QUOTATIONS.

14th November.

On London.	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/8
Bank Bills, on demand	2/8 1/2
Bank Bills, at 30 days sight	2/8 1/2
Bank Bills, at 6 months sight	2/8 1/2
Credit, at 4 months sight	2/8 1/2
Documentary Bills, at 4 months sight	2/8 1/2
On Paris.	
Bank Bills, on demand	78 1/2
Credit, 4 months sight	78 1/2
On New York.	
Bank Bills, on demand	53 1/2
Credit, at 60 days sight	53 1/2
On Bombay.	
Telegraphic Transfer	197
Bank Bills, on demand	197
On Calcutta.	
Telegraphic Transfer	187
Bank Bills, on demand	187
On Rangoon.	
Bank Bills, at sight	110
Private, 30 days sight	110
On Yokohama.	
On demand—Pence	107
On Singapore.	
On demand—Pence	115
On Batavia.	
On demand—Pence	154 1/2
On Haiphong.	
On demand—Pence	nom.
On Saigon.	
On demand—Pence	78 1/2
On Bangkok.	
On demand—Pence	78 1/2
SOVEREIGN, Bank's Buying Rate	\$7.35 n.
Gold Leaf 100 fine, per test	\$4.80
BAN SILVER per oz.	34 1/2

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

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Hongkong Head Office.	
Paid-up Capital	\$15,000,000
Reserve Funds	\$2,500,000
Staring	\$2,500,000
Silver	\$2,500,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors	\$15,000,000

Court of Directors:
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LONDON BANKERS:

LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER & PARBYS BANK, LTD.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened in local CURRENCY and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods in local currency and Sterling on terms which will be quoted on application.

Hongkong, November 11th, 1921. [3]

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rates may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed on the Minimum Monthly Balances at 3 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

A. G. STEPHENS, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 29th, 1920. [3]

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA.

AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1858.

HEAD OFFICE—LONDON.

Paid-up Capital ... \$3,000,000

Reserve Fund ... \$3,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors ... \$3,000,000

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. H. FERGUSON, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, March 30th, 1921. [3]

NEDERLANDSCHE HANDELSMAATSCHAPPIJ.

(NEDERLANDSE TRADING SOCIETY).

Established 1824.

A Capital ... F. 100,000,000 \$3,333,333

Paid-up Capital ... F. 80,000,000 \$2,666,666

Reserve Fund ... F. 18,979,340 \$1,881,604

Special Reserve ... F. 40,160,000 \$2,346,667

Head Office—Amsterdam.

Branches at The Hague—Rotterdam.

Head Agency—Batavia.

BRANCHES: Bandjermasin, Macassar, Singapore, Bandjoneg, Medan, Soerabaja, Bombay, Padang, Soerabaja, Calcutta, Palembang, (Solo), Cheribon, Pekalongan, Teluk Ting, Djember, Penang, (Deli), Djokjarta, Tembak, Tegal, Kober, Batavia, Teluk Beton, Kober, Samarang, Teluk Beton, Lagan, Shanghai, Wollerveden.

Correspondence at Colombo, Madras, Pondicherry, Bangkok, Saigon, Haiphong, Hanoi, Amoy, Yokohama, Melbourne, Sydney, New York, San Francisco, etc., etc.

London Bankers—The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Limited.

The Bank buys and sells and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, issues letters of credit on its Branches and correspondents in the East, on the Continent, in Great Britain, America and Australia and transacts banking business of every description.

W. H. GOSWAMI, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, September 22nd, 1921.

The "Three Castles" Virginia Cigarettes

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Better because larger.

The tobacco in the Magnums is the same bright Virginia tobacco found in ordinary Three Castles.

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Authorized Capital ... \$3,000,000

Subscribed Capital ... \$1,300,000

Paid-up Capital ... \$1,000,000

Reserve Fund ... \$1,100,000

BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND, THE LONDON JOINT CITY & MIDLAND BANK, Ltd.

BRANCHES: Bombay, Hongkong, Kuala Lumpur, Rangoon, Calcutta, Madras, Shanghai, Colombo, Kandy, New York, Singapore, Delhi, Karachi, Penang, Galle, Kota Bharu, Port Louis (Mauritius).

HONGKONG BRANCH: Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at 3 per cent. per annum on Daily Balance and on Fixed Deposits at rates that may be ascertained on application.

C. L. SANDES, Manager.

7, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, April 16th, 1921. [43]

THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Head Office—8, Des Voeux Road Central, Hankow Branch—Panoff Building.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN BANKING SERVICE PROMPT.

CURRENT, Savings, and Fixed Deposits bear interest at Rates 2 per cent., 4 per cent., 5 per cent. respectively.

Inquiry on our SPECIAL SERVICE is welcome.

J. USANG LY, Manager.

Hongkong, July 7th, 1919. [8]

THE BANK OF CHINA.

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(Specially authorized by Presidential Mandate of the Republic of China on the 2nd of November, 1917).

Authorized Capital ... \$400,000,000

Paid-up Capital ... \$12,978,000

Reserve Fund ... \$2,678,780

HEAD OFFICE—PEKING.

HONGKONG BRANCH: 4, Queen's Road Central, Branches and Sub-branches all over China, and Correspondents in Europe, America, and other parts of the world.

London Bankers—The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

The Guaranty Trust Company of New York, New York Bankers—The Irving National Bank.

The Trust Company of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Terms on application.

Every description of Banking Business transacted.

Loans granted on approved securities.

Special facilities for Home Exchange.

W. H. GOSWAMI, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, September 8th, 1921.

BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE.

(FRENCH BANK).

HEAD OFFICE: 15bis Rue Lafraye, Paris.

Subscribed Capital—Fr. 72,000,000.00

Paid-up Capital—Fr. 68,400,000.00

Reserve Funds—Fr. 69,567,203.54

BRANCHES: Bangkok, Hongkong, Saigon, Batambang, Mongtze, Shanghai, Canton, Nanning, Singapore, Diphout, Papeete, Tientsin, Haiphong, Peking, Tourane, Hankow, Fom-Penh, Yunnanfu, Hanoi, Pondichery.

BANKERS: IN FRANCE: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais; Banque de Paris et de Pays-Bas; Credit Industriel et Commercial; Societe Generale.

IN LONDON: The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd., Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais.

IN NEW YORK: J. P. Morgan & Co., Morgan & P.

French American Banking Corporation, Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

V. MARSOT, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, July 12th, 1921. [68]

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE: No. 10 Des Voeux Road C. HONGKONG.

Established 1919.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL ... \$10,000,000.00

PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$5,000,000.00

DIRECTORS: Mr. Fong Yai Tze, Chairman, Mr. Chan Shun Son, Mr. Kan Ying Po, Mr. Li Koon Chun, Mr. Mok Chung Kong, Mr. Fung Ping Shan, Mr. Wong Yun Tong, Mr. P. K. Kwok, Mr. Chan Ching Shuk, Mr. Ng Chang Luk, Mr. Kan Chiu Nam.

Chief Manager—Mr. Kan Tong Po, Asst. Manager—Mr. Li Tze Fong.

BRANCHES & AGENCIES: LONDON, PARIS, NEW YORK, SHANGHAI, SAN FRANCISCO, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, NAGASAKI, SAIGON, SINGAPORE, PENANG, TIENTSIN, MANILA, HANKOW, BATAVIA, SAMARANG, SOERABAYA, CALCUTTA.

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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum on Savings Accounts Four per cent. per annum, and Fixed Deposits at the following rates:—

For 3 months at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

For 24 months at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 36 months at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

For 48 months at the rate of 5 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 60 months at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum.

For 72 months at the rate of 6 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 84 months at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum.

For 96 months at the rate of 7 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 108 months at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum.

For 120 months at the rate of 8 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 132 months at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum.

For 144 months at the rate of 9 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 156 months at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

For 168 months at the rate of 10 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 180 months at the rate of 11 per cent. per annum.

For 192 months at the rate of 11 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 204 months at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum.

For 216 months at the rate of 12 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 228 months at the rate of 13 per cent. per annum.

For 240 months at the rate of 13 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 252 months at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum.

For 264 months at the rate of 14 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 276 months at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum.

For 288 months at the rate of 15 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 300 months at the rate of 16 per cent. per annum.

For 312 months at the rate of 16 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 324 months at the rate of 17 per cent. per annum.

For 336 months at the rate of 17 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 348 months at the rate of 18 per cent. per annum.

For 360 months at the rate of 18 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 372 months at the rate of 19 per cent. per annum.

For 384 months at the rate of 19 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 396 months at the rate of 20 per cent. per annum.

For 408 months at the rate of 20 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 420 months at the rate of 21 per cent. per annum.

For 432 months at the rate of 21 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 444 months at the rate of

NOTICE POST OFFICE

INWARD MAILS.

FROM	PER	DATE
SAFRANCISCO and MANILA	Hoover State	14th inst.
JAPAN	St. Albans	14th inst.
SWATOW	Sinking	14th inst.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Empress of Japan	15th inst.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers, London 13th Oct.)	Tean	15th inst.
JAPAN	Kawachi Maru	16th inst.
SWATOW	Tsuyama Maru	16th inst.
SWATOW	Bondoy Maru	17th inst.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	Tango Maru	17th inst.
SWATOW	Yokohama Maru	18th inst.

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR	PER	DATE
Hohow and Halphong	Lotsang	Monday, 14th, 8.00 A.M.
Fakhoi and Halphong	Koefong	Monday, 14th, 9.00 A.M.
Swatow	Hoefong	Monday, 14th, 2.30 P.M.
*Straits, *Bangkok, Calcutta and Aden	Doylston	Monday, 14th, 4.00 P.M.
*Swatow, *Shanghai and *North China	Suyong	Tuesday, 15th, 9.00 A.M.
Halphong	Kwintang	Tuesday, 15th, 9.00 A.M.
*Swatow, and Bangkok	Chuanan	Tuesday, 15th, 9.00 A.M.
Philippine Is., Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Is.	Aki Maru	Registration 8.45 A.M. Letters 9.30 A.M.
Straits, *Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Egypt, and EUROPE via SUEZ	Mentor	Registration 9.15 A.M. Letters 10.00 A.M.
The Parcel Mail will be closed at 5 p.m. on Monday, the 14th Nov.		
Halphong	Haiman	Tuesday, 15th, 10.00 A.M.
Shanghai, North China, Dairen, Honolulu, *Canada, *U.S.A., *Central and *South America and *EUROPE via SAN FRANCISCO	Siberia Maru	Registration 8.45 A.M. Letters 10.30 A.M.
*Straits, *Bangkok, Calcutta and Aden	Japan	Tuesday, 15th, 11.30 A.M.
*Swatow, Amoy, and Fuchow	Hatching	Tuesday, 15th, NOON
*Straits, *Bangkok, Batavia, and Sourabaya	Nile	Tuesday, 15th, 2.00 P.M.
*Swatow and *Bangkok	Yatsing	Tuesday, 15th, 5.00 P.M.
Philippine Is., Sandakan, Australia, and New Zealand via Thursday Is.	St. Albans	Reg. 14th, 5.00 P.M. Letters 16th, 8.30 A.M.
Swatow *Straits and *Bangkok	Luchow	Wednesday, 16th, 9.00 A.M.
Sandakan	Mauwang	Wednesday, 16th, 11.00 A.M.
*Swatow, *Shanghai, and *North China	Choyang	Wednesday, 16th, 5.00 P.M.
*Swatow, Amoy, and Takao	Sohu Maru	Thursday, 17th, 9.00 A.M.
Shanghai, North China, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via SAN FRANCISCO	Hoover State	Registration 9.45 A.M. Letters 10.30 A.M.
*Shanghai and *North China	Sinking	Thursday, 17th, 11.00 A.M.
*Swatow and Amoy	Tean	Thursday, 17th, 11.00 A.M.
Straits, *Bangkok, Calcutta and Aden	Namsang	Thursday, 17th, 2.00 P.M.
*Swatow, *Shanghai and *N. China	Washing	Thursday, 17th, 5.00 P.M.
*Japan	Tango Maru	Friday, 18th, 9.00 A.M.
Japan, Canada, United States, Central and South America and *EUROPE via Victoria, B.C.	Fusuma Maru	Registration 8.45 A.M. Letters 9.30 A.M.
Tientsin	Changching	Friday, 18th, 11.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Fuchow	Hai Loong	Friday, 18th, NOON
Philippine Islands	Yuenang	Friday, 18th, 2.00 P.M.
Shanghai, North China and Japan	Yokohama Maru	Sunday, 20th, 9.00 A.M.

*Correspondence bearing vessel's name only.

THE BLUE FUNNEL LINE.

REGULAR AND FAST FREIGHT AND PASSENGER SERVICES LONDON SERVICE

"MENTOR"	15TH NOV.	London, Amsterdam & Antwerp.
"MACHAON"	22ND NOV.	London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.
"LAOMEDON"	6TH DEC.	London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.
"TERESIAS"	13TH DEC.	London, Amsterdam & Antwerp.
"BELLEROPHON"	20TH NOV.	London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.

LIVERPOOL SERVICE

"PELEUS"	15TH NOV.	Marseilles, Havre & Liverpool.
"ORBESTES"	6TH DEC.	Liverpool.
"DEUCALION"	14TH DEC.	Marseilles, Havre & Liverpool.

PACIFIC SERVICE

"IXION"	22ND NOV.	Victoria, Seattle & Vancouver.
"TALTHYBIUS"	13TH DEC.	
"TYNDAREUS"	3RD JAN.	

NEW YORK SERVICE

"TYDEUS"	15TH NOV.	via Suez.
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PASSENGER SERVICE

"MENTOR"	15TH NOV.	for Singapore & London.
"TERESIAS"	29TH NOV.	for Shanghai.
"TERESIAS"	13TH DEC.	for Singapore & London.

FOR FREIGHT, PASSAGE RATES AND ALL INFORMATION APPLY TO BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE AGENTS.

ASIA BANKING CORPORATION

(AN AMERICAN BANK.)

Capital	U.S. \$4,000,000
Surplus, over	U.S. \$2,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:
NEW YORK.BRANCH:
SAN FRANCISCO.

Head Office for the Orient,

SHANGHAI.

CANTON	HANKOW	MANILA	TIENHSIN
CHANGSHA	PEKING	SINGAPORE	

D. M. BIGGAR,
Manager.

COMMERCIAL.

OPENING QUOTATIONS.

14th November.

On LONDON—	Telegraphic Transfer	3/8
Bank Bills, on demand	3/8 1/2	
Bank Bills, at 30 days sight	3/8 1/2	
Bank Bills, at 4 months sight	3/8 1/2	
Credits, at 4 months sight	3/8 1/2	
Documentary Bills, 4 months sight	3/8 1/2	
On PARIS—	Bank Bills, on demand	735
Credits, 4 months sight	735	
On NEW YORK—	Bank Bills, on demand	53 1/2
Credits, at 60 days sight	53 1/2	
On BOMBAY—	Telegraphic Transfer	—
Bank Bills, on demand	197	
On CALCUTTA—	Telegraphic Transfer	—
Bank Bills, on demand	197	
On SHANGHAI—	Bank Bills, at sight	—
Private, 30 days sight	—	
On YOKOHAMA—On demand	110	
On MANILA—On demand—Pescos	107	
On SINGAPORE—On demand	115	
On BATAVIA—On demand	154 1/2	
On HAIPHONG—On demand	nom.	
On SAIGON—On demand	76 1/2	
Sovereigns, Bank's Buying Rate	\$ 7.35 n.	
Gold Laid 100 dms. per oz.	\$ 48.60	
Bar SILVER per oz.	34 1/2	

Per cent.

Hongkong	10 cents place	\$1.00 Premium.
Hongkong	20	0.50 Discount
Canton	20	18.05
Canton	10	0.00

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Hongkong Head Office:
Paid-up Capital ... \$15,000,000
Reserve Funds ... \$3,500,000
Sterling ... \$2,500,000
Silver ... \$21,500,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors \$15,000,000

Court of Directors:
G. T. M. EMMETT, Esq., Chairman.
G. M. DOWNS, Esq., Deputy Chairman.
D. G. M. BERNARD, Esq., B. D. D. Esq.,
A. S. GIBBY, Esq., W. L. PETERSON, Esq.,
P. H. HOLYER, Esq., J. A. PETERSON, Esq.,
Hon. Mr. A. O. LANG, H. P. WHITE, Esq.

Chief Manager:

Hon. Mr. A. G. STEPHEN.

Manager: Hongkong—A. H. BARKER, Esq.

Manager: Shanghai—G. H. STOTT, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS:

LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER & PARRE'S BANK, LTD.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened in local CURRENCY and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods in local currency and sterling on terms which will be quoted on application.
Hongkong, November 11th, 1921. [8]

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Balances may be obtained on application.
INTEREST on deposits is allowed on the Minimum Monthly Balances at 3 1/2 per cent. per annum.
For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
A. G. STEPHEN,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, December 29th, 1920. [9]

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA.

AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.

HEAD OFFICE—LONDON.

Paid-up Capital	\$3,000,000
Reserve Fund	\$3,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors	\$3,000,000

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. H. FERGUSON,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, March 30th, 1921. [10]

NEDELANDSCHE HANDER MAATSCHAPPIJ.

(NEDERLANDSE TRADING SOCIETY.)

Established 1824.

A. Capital	F. 100,000,000	\$3,333,333
Paid-up Capital	F. 80,000,000	\$2,666,666
Reserve Fund	F. 19,979,340	\$1,581,604
Special Reserve	F. 40,150,000	\$2,348,667

Head Office—Amsterdam.

Branches at:

The Hague—Rotterdam.

Head Agency—Batavia.

BRANCHES:

Bandoemasin Macassar Singapore

Bandong Medan Soerabaja

Bengkong Palembang (Solo)

Cebu Penang Teling Ting

Djakarta Penang (Deli)

Kobe Penang Tegal

Koto-Badi Rangoon Telok Beton

Lanka Samarang Tjilatjap

Wetervreden

Correspondence at Colombo, Madras, Pondicherry, Bangkok, Saigon, Haiphong, Hanoi, Amoy, Yokohama, Melbourne, Sydney, New York, San Francisco, etc., etc.

London Bankers—The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Limited.

The Bank buys and sells and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents in the East, on the Continent, in Great Britain, America and Australia and transacts banking business of every description.

W. H. GEORGE,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, September 2nd, 1921.

The "Three Castles" Virginia Cigarettes

MAGNUMS

Better because larger.

The tobacco in the Magnums is the same bright Virginia tobacco found in ordinary Three Castles.

The difference in size makes the Magnums a fuller, richer cigarette while retaining all the mild flavor of the smaller cigarette.



This advertisement is issued by British American Tobacco Co. (China) Ltd.

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF INDIA.

Limited.

HEAD OFFICE:

15, Gracechurch Street, London, E.C. 3.

Authorized Capital ... \$3,000,000

Subscribed Capital ... \$1,800,000

Paid-up Capital ... \$1,800,000

Reserve Fund ... \$1,100,000

BANKERS:

THE BANK OF ENGLAND,

THE LONDON JOINT CITY & MIDLAND BANK, LTD.

BRANCHES:

Bombay Hongkong Kuala Lumpur Rangoon

Calcutta Cebu Madras Shanghai

Colombo Hong Kong Penang Singapore

Dahli Karachi Penang

Galle Kota Bharu Port Louis (Mauritius).

HONGKONG BRANCH.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts to 3 per cent. per annum on Daily Balance and on Fixed Deposits at rates that may be quoted on application.

C. L. SANDES,
Manager.7, Queen's Road Central,
Hongkong, April 26th, 1921. [43]

THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Head Office:—8, Des Voeux Road, Central

Banking Branch:—Paooff Building.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN BANKING SERVICES

CURRENT, Savings, and Fixed Deposits bear interest at Rates 3 per cent., 4 per cent., 5 per cent. respectively.

Inquiry on or SPECIAL SERVICE will be welcome.

J. USANG LY,
Manager.

Hongkong, July 7th, 1919. [8]

THE BANK OF CHINA.

行銀國中

(Specially authorized, by Presidential Mandate of the Republic of China on the 22nd of November, 1917.)

Authorized Capital ... \$40,000,000.00

Paid-up Capital ... \$2,979,800.00

Reserve Funds ... \$6,027,678.00

HEAD OFFICE—PEKING.

HONGKONG BRANCH:—4, Queen's Road Central. Branches and Sub-branches all over China, and Correspondents in Europe, America, and other parts of the world.

London Bankers—The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

The Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

New York Bankers—The Irving National Bank.

The Republic Trust Company, New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits—Terms on application.

Every description of Banking Business transacted.

Loans granted on approved securities.

Special facilities for Home Exchanges.

TSUYEN PEI,
Manager.

Hongkong, September 8th, 1921.

BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE.

(FRENCH BANK).

HEAD OFFICE: 15 bis Rue La Fayette, Paris.

Subscribed Capital ... Frs. 72,000,000.00

Paid-up Capital ... Frs. 68,400,000.00

Reserve Funds ... Frs. 69,567,203.54

BRANCHES:

Bangkok Hongkong Saigon

Batavia Hongkong Shanghai

Canton Hongkong Singapore

Hankow Hongkong Tientsin

Harbin Hongkong Yunnanfu

Hanoi Hongkong Pondichery

BANKERS:

IN FRANCE: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Crédit Lyonnais; Banque de Paris et de Pays-Bas; Crédit Industriel et Commercial; Société Générale.

IN LONDON: The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Crédit Lyonnais.

IN NEW YORK: J. P. Morgan & Co.; Morgan J. P. French American Banking Corporation; Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

V. MARBOT,
Acting Manager.

Hongkong, July 12th, 1921. [66]

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, Limited.

HEAD OFFICE:—

No. 10 Des Voeux Road, C. HONGKONG.

Established 1919.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL ... \$10,000,000.00

PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$5,000,000.00

DIRECTORS:

Mr. Fung Wai Tung, Chairman.

Mr. Chow Shou Bun, Mr. Kan Ying Po,

Mr. Li Koon Chun, Mr. Mok Chung Kong,

Mr. Fung Ping Shan, Mr. Wong Yun Tong,

Mr. P. K. Kwok, Mr. Chan Ching Shik,

Mr. Ng Chong Lok, Mr. Kan Chiu Nari.

Chief Manager ... Mr. Kan Tong Po,

Asst. Manager ... Mr. Li Tse Fong.

BRANCHES & AGENCIES:—

LONDON, PARIS, NEW YORK,

SHANGHAI, SAN FRANCISCO,

YOKOHAMA, YOKOHAMA,

NAGASAKI, SAIGON,

SINGAPORE, PENANG,

TIENTSIN, HANKOW,

MANILA, BATAVIA,

SAMARANG, SOERABAYA,

CALCUTTA, BOMBAY.

London Bankers—The London City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum on Daily Balance and on Fixed Deposits at the following rates:—

For 3 months: 3 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months: 4 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months: 5 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 24 months: 6 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 36 months: 7 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 48 months: 8 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 60 months: 9 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 72 months: 10 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 84 months: 11 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 96 months: 12 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 108 months: 13 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 120 months: 14 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 132 months: 15 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 144 months: 16 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For 156 months: 17 1/2 per cent. per annum.